

Turks, have regained from Rumania virtually all that part of Dobruza taken by Rumania during the second Balkan war. Under the leadership of Field Marshal von Mackensen, the forces of the central powers have driven the Russians and Rumania

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3—Thur	10,482	19—Sat	10,956
4—Fri	10,526	20—Sunday	
5—Sat	10,594	21—Mon	10,963
6—Sunday		22—Tues	10,975
7—Mon	10,618	23—Wed	10,988
8—Tues	10,741	24—Thur	11,014
9—Wed	10,762	25—Fri	11,038
10—Thur	10,798	26—Sat	11,047
11—Fri	10,827	27—Sunday	
12—Sat	10,852	28—Mon	11,064
13—Sunday		29—Tues	11,072
14—Mon	10,877	30—Wed	11,087
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1. Frank H. Burgess, business manager of the La Crosse Tribune, do solemnly swear that the actual number of copies of the paper named, printed and circulated during the month of August, 1916, was as above stated. Subscribed and sworn to before me this first day of September, 1916.

James Thompson Notary public.

WEATHER

U.S. Weather Bureau

Sunrise tomorrow, 5:49 a. m. Sunset tomorrow, 6:09 p. m.

Yesterday's Temperatures High, 57; low, 34; precipitation, 0.

Forecasts For Wisconsin: Fair tonight and Tuesday with rising temperature.

For Minnesota: Fair tonight and Tuesday; rising temperature.

For Iowa: Fair tonight and Tuesday; rising temperature.

Weather Conditions Fair and moderately cool weather prevails this morning in all sections, and with but little cloudiness. Light to heavy frost is reported from the central states to the lake region.

The pressure is high over the central districts and low off the southern coast of Florida, in the southwest and throughout the Canadian northwest.

These pressure conditions indicate fair weather for this section tonight and Tuesday with rising temperature.

DAILY RIVER BULLETIN

Flood Stage-Height-Change

St. Paul	14	6.0	-0.1
Reeds Landing	12	4.1	0.0
La Crosse	12	5.9	0.0
New Orleans	18	5.2	

River Forecast St. Paul to La Crosse: There will be no decided change in the river stages during the week, but in the absence of heavy rains, the river will fall slightly.

PROTEST SENDING CIGARETS

BELOIT, Wis., Sept. 18.—The Women's Christian Temperance union here has protested against the sending of cigarettes to Beloit militiamen on the border.

Hello, Ethel!

This is Grace—I called you up to answer that question you asked me last night just as we were hurrying to the car. You wanted to know what made me look so young and girlish, well I'll tell you a secret—it's my hair.

You know I was getting gray—worse than you—and my hair was thin and "dead." When Cousin Ruth was here from Chicago she told me about a preparation called Dr. Cunningham's SAVEITT. This brought back the natural color to my hair. Yes, and it stopped my awful dandruff, and I can find lots of new hair, too. No, it's not a dye—Saveitt just restores in a natural way.

Really, you ought to get some and make yourself look as young as you are. All right Ethel, Good Bye.

Oh! Don't forget Saveitt is sold here only by FROMMES CHEMICAL CO.

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THE THINGS FOR WHICH WE LEARN TO SAVE

In its eighth annual announcement of its school year campaign, the Penny Savings association says:

We believe that the real value of the Penny Savings system is not that a large sum of money is diverted from uses more or less questionable, but that a degree of self-restraint and thoughtfulness is instilled into the children which will be an influence for good throughout their lives. Practical lessons in thrift and economy tend to make pupils more independent and self-reliant. The development of the habit of saving, now so neglected in many homes, must depend largely on the efforts of teachers.

This is true. The work represents sound policy and has been well done. However, it may be that a balancing phase of child character is being neglected. Teaching a child to save, and that only, is developing but one side of character. How to spend well is equally important. The thing America has to overcome is the habit of saving to hoard. There should be a balance of character in money matters, a saving from wasteful and harmful expenditures, a sense of the value of money for use, an impression of the necessity of keeping the individual in circumstances of financial independence and a comprehension of proper spending in proportion to means.

In America many people give lavishly and too often indiscriminately. But on the whole and from the standpoint of our democracy, art, wise charity, education, housing and Christianity suffer at the expense of saving that is stultified for lack of useful purpose. I. the children shall profit by thrift education they must be taught the relative values in life of a coat, a book, a bicycle, something for mother, bread for an orphan, flowers, pictures, the church, a stick of candy and the movies. What is indulgence and what necessity, the place of others in their own spending program, the building of character through level-headed generosity—all these things are much more important in the child's development than is the bare instinct to save and to keep.

Since the Penny Savings program began seven years ago, the report says, the children have deposited upwards of \$34,000. Of this sum there remains on deposit something over \$15,000. The report is silent upon how the other \$19,000 was spent. Of course this could not be known in detail, but the general character of the expenditures could be ascertained. Perhaps in its next annual report the association may be able to discuss the influences that have been applied looking to wise spending and with what effect they have been employed.

IT IS WONDERFUL—YES, NO?

The wheat harvest in the United States begins virtually in June and runs into September. Whoever bulls the fall options, is bulling the whole new crop in the hands of the producer. Whatever price he wants, in operations such as those under consideration, is the price farmers will get for their grain.

You read in the newspapers of "enormous lines" of speculative wheat, amounting maybe to fifteen or twenty million bushels, and of "tremendous winnings", which is of less actual concern to the wheat growers and bread eaters of the country than keeping their feet dry in rainy weather.—Saturday Evening Post.

Just so! Speculation makes the price of wheat—"fixes the exact price the farmers will get for their grain"—but is "of less concern to the wheat growers and bread eaters than keeping their feet dry in rainy weather". The learned editor of the Post seems to have something on us. We have read and re-read this, spelled the words and parsed the sentences, and still we don't get it.

Here Are City's Best Among School Floriculturists

Prizes to pupils of La Crosse schools in the garden flower show of the Twentieth Century club were announced on Monday by the club committee in charge of the event.

School children winning prizes for best bouquets of nasturtiums and zinnias follows:

Hogan school—Leslie Yolton, nasturtiums; Raymond Yolton, zinnias. Longfellow school—Willard Nimocks, nasturtiums; Mary Nietsch, zinnias. Washington school—Mildred Ingwersen, nasturtiums; Francis Reed Anderson, zinnias. Lincoln school—Lowell Williams, nasturtiums; Edith Johnson, zinnias.

Hamilton—Flora Howard, nasturtiums; Irma Bishofsky, zinnias.

Normal school—Jane Goodall, nasturtiums; Mildred Sexauer, zinnias.

German Lutheran school—Lillian Bitzer, nasturtiums; Otto Baumann, zinnias.

St. Wenceslaus school—Joseph Frisch, nasturtiums; Marie Frisch, zinnias.

St. Mary's school—William Dogerty, nasturtiums; Helen Vesey, zinnias.

St. Joseph's school—William Puert, nasturtiums; Elizabeth Griffith, zinnias.

Holy Trinity school—Ethel Lejenne, nasturtiums; Victor J. Miller, zinnias.

Holy Cross school—Leonarda Novak, nasturtiums; Lucile Kosteck, zinnias.

Five dollars, the special prize, offered for the best bouquet of flowers grown from government seeds, was awarded to the eighth grade room in the normal school. The flowers were cosmos, grown by Mildred Sexauer. Only four bouquets were offered.

A special prize of one dollar, offered by Mrs. W. R. Finch for the best bouquet of mixed flowers, was awarded to Katherine Matlak of the Hamilton public school.

WANTS LAW ON BLACKLIST

BUENOS AIRES, Sept. 18.—Representative Ayvelaneda is waging a vigorous fight in the Argentine congress for passage of a bill, introduced by himself, prohibiting in this coun-

Quips and Cranks and Wanton Wiles

L. S. Sez: Sure, you've met the man whose tongue has monopolized all the action that ought to be distributed equally throughout his body.

Out of the Mouths of Kids

A lad of 7 years who had always lived in the city was visiting his uncle on a farm. He was much interested in the stock, particularly the cows, but he did not know what the horns were. Upon being told he seemed satisfied. Soon one of the cows uttered a long, low "Moo." Turning to the uncle the boy asked: "Which horn did she blow, Uncle Billy?"—A. R. R.

Little Leaks

It's simply impossible to get any attention from your escort while you're in the majestic until he has seen the style of the heels of that organ play's shoes.

Betty's gone. And with her go many regrets, of course!

What do you think of Tootsie for a dog's name?

Simp says, "Not much," as he recalled that that had once been his sweetheart's pet appellation for him.

Some people are to be congratulated on that rare quality, density. It relieves a good deal of embarrassment.

But, Doc, why do you call it rare?

Felt That Way

An officer lately returned from Alexandria brings a story of the British soldier's humor. A certain curio hunting captain had prevailed upon two privates to move his effects. They managed everything save a weighty packing case, which defied their united efforts. As they paused to wipe the sweat from their brows one asked:

"What the deuce is in it, Bill?" "Pyramids," answered Bill promptly.

A Practical Love Potion

A young woman who thought she was losing her husband's affection went to a seventh daughter of a seventh daughter for a love powder. The mystery woman told her:

"Get a raw piece of beef, cut flat, about an inch thick. Slice an onion in two and rub the meat on both sides of it. Put on pepper and salt, and toast it on each side over a red coal fire. Drop on it three lumps of butter and two springs of parsley, and get him to eat it."

The young wife did so, and her husband loved her ever after.

A Good Definition

"Spell ferment and give it's definition," requested the teacher. "F-e-r-m-e-n-t, to work," responded a small maiden.

"Now place it in a sentence, so that I may be sure you understand its meaning," said the teacher.

"In summer I would rather stay out of doors and play, than ferment in the schoolhouse," returned the small scholar.

Mere politicians wish the country to do something for them, true patriots desire to do something for their country.—Robert G. Ingersoll.

THE TRIBUNE'S DAILY TRAVELETTE (By Nilsab)

KILAUEA

When the Hawaiian Islands decided to become a part of the United States, we acquired, besides our first royal family and our most beautiful and exotic tropic garden-spot, the largest active and up-to-date volcano in the world. Kilauea has not been advertised like Vesuvius and Pelee, by virtue of recent destructive eruptions, nor like Popocatepetl, by a jewel of a name that would have made the fortune of anybody perspicacious enough to apply it to a new brand of chewing gum. Retiring by disposition, of recent years at least and attending to business in a good-natured way with only a few minor eruptions to show that he is still on the job, Kilauea needs advertising.

His advantages as a volcano are many. He does not perch up at the top of an inaccessible cone, like less considerate volcanoes. He can be reached by nervous ladies in an automobile with ease and safety. He lies in a country that revels in the luxuriant vegetation of half a dozen Italian gardens. He is the ideal tourist's volcano and his crater is nine miles across, the greatest on earth.

It lies before you, a flat lifeless plain, in great smooth sweeps of lava run out and melted in long graceful lines that are a delight to the eye. Here and there a fissure smokes reflectively, just to remind you that beneath the crust are depths unthinkable. The wary tourist creeps to the edge of such a fissure and toasts bits of paper on the end of a stick by the heat of the fire of Hades. It is a characteristic sight. On the Day of Judgment some tourist will snap-shot the Angel Gabriel.

Where the crust breaks off in a pit and shows the living fire beneath, the United States government has erected a station for only the study of volcanoes. Scientists peer into the giant lipless throat and make observations and take temperatures. Below, the fires gleam golden under the rolling smoke, and Kilauea stares sardonically upward at him at the station that is investigating him. Some day he will roll lazily upward and investigate the station.

OF LOCAL INTEREST

Some People We Know, and We Will Profit by Hearing About Them

This is a purely local event.

It took place in La Crosse.

Not in some faraway place.

You are asked to investigate it.

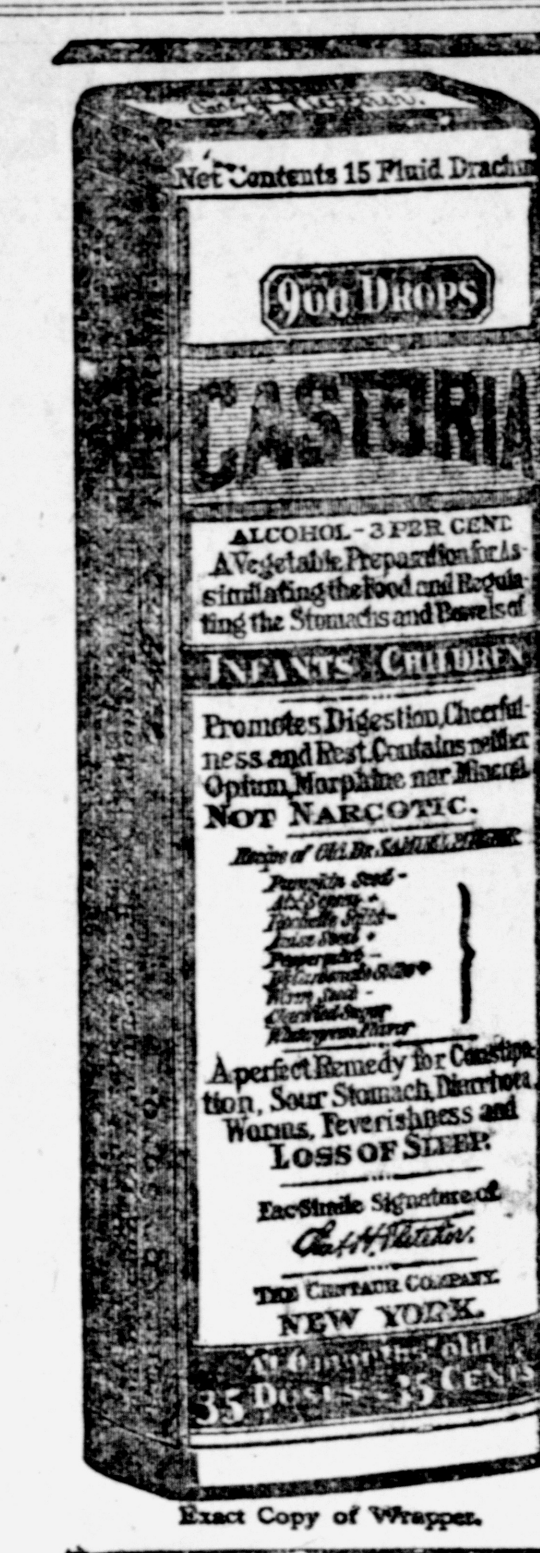
Asked to believe a citizen's word.

To confirm a citizen's statement.

Any article that is endorsed at home

Is more worthy of confidence

Than one you know nothing about. Endorsed by unknown people.



Children Cry For Fletcher's CASTORIA

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THE CENTAUR COMPANY, NEW YORK CITY.

VERSATILE DUO TAKE THE PALM IN NEW VARIETY

It's just because they can "put it over" that Knapp and Cornella make such a tremendous hit at the La Crosse theater's new bill. They have an act that comprises a little bit of everything known to vaudeville, from music to acrobatics. They don't do a great deal of anything, but they have the "manner"—which is everything. Not since the theater re-opened under the present management has an audience enjoyed itself so well as during the turn of Knapp and Cornella.

The act closes with a snappy, well-staged monkey act of unexpected interest. The simians are cleverly trained, and some of their performances are really remarkable. There is a "chewing-match," for instance, between two of the monkeys, that is a scream in its faithful burlesque of humanity.

Post, Dixon and McDonald are three harmony singers of familiar and engaging type, who sing a little overworked grand opera, and a good deal of cheerful ragtime. They have powerful, easy voices, and have evidently been working together long enough to get the best out of the combination.

William Moisen, piano accordion-

TRouble Maker Reported

TOKIO, Sept. 18.—Hermann Wohlers, a German resident of Yokohama for the last three years, has just been deported from this country for trying to make trouble between the United States, Japan and Great Britain. He was given eight days to get out and he went quick.

Among other charges against Wohlers are these: That he wrote charges against Japan to the American government. That he induced an intoxicated American marine to pull the British Union Jack from the wall of a ballroom where Americans were celebrating the Fourth of July with Brits as guests, for which the marine was court-martialed. That he entered Yokohama park and loudly denounced the Russ-Jap pact.

STRIKE GUARD UP FOR MURDER

TIFFIN, Ohio, Sept. 18.—As an aftermath of the labor riots here last spring, David Graham was arraigned in court Monday to stand trial on a charge of second degree murder. Graham was a strike guard employed by one of the manufacturing concerns whose employees went out. He is alleged to have fired the shot that killed Albert Latona, one of the striking iron moulders, during a night disturbance at the plant.

The Searchlight

SHOES FOR LINEMEN

A number of linemen have lost their lives because the shoes they wear are not properly protected from transmitting electric current. A special linemen's shoe has been patented recently which will completely overcome this risk. Its sole is composed of two separate layers of rubber which lessen the possibility of blow holes through which current enough to produce shock might be carried. Tests prove that this new shoe will prevent the passage of a current of at least thirty thousand volts, without in any way affecting the wearer.

MINERS' HEAD RE-NOMINATED

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Sept. 18.—John P. White has "received a decisive majority," and has been nominated to succeed himself as president of the United Mine Workers of America. His chief opponent was John H. Walker.

This announcement was made Saturday at the international headquarters here.

NEW FACTORY FOR BELOIT

BELOIT, Wis., Sept. 18.—It is expected that the Esterline & Angus company of Indianapolis will establish here a \$50,000 plant for the manufacture of electrical fixtures.

It's Easy To Select Your Fall Shoes

from our big stock of the latest and best in Foot wear. We have carefully selected a line that will meet every requirement of the careful buyer as to style, quality and price.



Here Are a Few Items of Interest

Boys' Shoes for the little man of 3 years to the High school graduate high and low cuts, all lasts and leathers. Priced from

\$1.25 to \$3.50

Men's Shoes, strong, sturdy work shoes, that will stand the hard knocks, also medium and fine grade dress shoes. Priced from

\$2.50 to \$6.00

For the Girls we have good strong school shoes as well as fine dress shoes. A large line to choose from, at

\$1.25 to \$3.50

Women's Shoes in a large variety of lots and materials, every wanted style is here at from

\$2.00 to \$5.00

We want you to see these Shoes whether you buy or not.

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SILK AND CLOTH SKIRTS, SILK PETTICOATS

Wednesday, September
Twentieth, and after.

Fashionable.

Exclusive.

Refined.

Extremely Smart And Strikingly Original Are New Garment Models

When the fairies restored their presents to the princess, afterwards famed for her 100 years nap, they made her good and lovely, rich and wise, but in modern times a "sleeping beauty" would wish to have conferred upon her the gift of "dress instinct," for the American woman craves that as a most precious boon. Nowadays we must credit her with possessing it, for the standard of good taste and the understanding of what to wear places the American woman in a class by herself. There is nothing frivolous about studying the clothes problem. Those who give it the most thought and then apparently forget it, are the ones most practical and best dressed.

Autumn is the season when the greatest fashion changes occur. The practical sartorial ideas originated without the assistance of foreign designers, has given us a world-wide fashion reputation. Inspirations for fall garments have been taken from many periods and countries. Russia, the ancient costumes of Poland, the Moven age, Louis Fifteenth period, are among those that contribute their quota.

Broadcloths, velour de laine, velours, divettes, gabardines, zibelines, jersey and pile fabrics are the materials generally sought for. Features of the suits are the longer coats and skirts. It may be safely affirmed that the skirt within a few inches of the instep is no longer rated dowdy as it was a few weeks previous.

The question raised as to the width of the skirts to be worn with the three-quarter length coat is answered by saying that heavy materials do not exceed from three to three and a half yards, the wider skirts of lighter weight material, know no limit to the yardage.

The waist line is slightly above the normal in some of the tailor suits and separate coats. Collars are high and hug the throat closely. The military collar, high fur collar, or collar turned back with wide reverses to show the vest, are prominent.

Sleeves are snugly fitted at the top, set in at the regular or extreme shoulder line, though certain types show unexpected fullness at the top.

Fur, braid and embroidery are used lavishly for trimming. All skirts have some fullness at the top with a tendency to push the fullness to the back. Modified circular, pleated effects and many gored models are used. Skirts distended by stiffening at the top of the back or below hip and knee continue to be worn.

There is a pronounced vogue for the long tunic and various pannier ideas. One cannot refrain from mentioning pockets of every description.

A two-piece suit of elephant gray broadcloth trimmed with smoked fur has a three-quarter length jacket semi-fitted back and front. Fur bands are run under short tabs of the cloth outlining each side of the front. The collar is of fur. Deep pockets on the coat are fur trimmed. The long sleeves are set in at the normal arm hole with tab trimming. The cloth belt is trimmed through the center with a fur band and cut in one with the front. A belt made of fur is run through cloth slashes on the full skirt.

A blackberry colored broadcloth trimmed with seal is made in simple conservative lines. The medium length jacket is collared with fur. The jacket has the back fitted and seamed. The side portions are gathered at the line of the waist and extend over the skirt of the jacket. The skirt has a plain front panel and gathered side. Below a band fine shirring, there is a pocket at each side of the front panel.

Separate coats are made in both straight and flare effects. With the exception of sport coats and "sport" these days is an elastic term, coats are 45 to 48 inches long.

Belts are used on motor and street coats. Collars of every variety from the high standing collar to the cape and sailor collar are different—very different—this fall both on the coats and suits.

Modifications of kimono styles and bell sleeves or those with a fullness caught at the cuffs, are seen on the utility coats. There is a call for coats of mixture: tweeds, velours, checks and plaids, wool velour, broadcloth and pile fabrics. Fur trimmings again have a liberal use.

Justified by its sheer beauty an evening costume of net and maline lace has an overbodice and draped skirt of emerald satin. Frills of net attached to bands of green chiffon form the sleeves. The lower front panel of the skirt is of deep lace flouncing, while narrow flouncings of the same mounted on net reach to the waist.

Classic in line is a gorgeous panne costume velvet in cyclamen pink with velvet train, tulle scarf and sable bands, the princess line and slender hips featured by Callot are worthy of mention. The velvet skirt draped in front falls in irregular length. The train hung from the raised waistline falls in deep points. A tulle scarf matching the velvet has fur which adds to its elegance and hangs from the shoulders in cascades.

A coat of English cloth cut on exactly the same lines as a man's coat, spells service for more than one season.

Of the Second Empire a coat of mahogany velour de laine with gray satin lining and kimmer trimming, has raglan sleeves and fastens at the neck and hip. Silk cords ornament the sides. Seven rows of stitching finish the bottom, the lining of gray satin matches the stitching.

A coat of blue Bolivia cloth has a Chasuble back. The straight panel back collarettes and stoles are like a precious blue and silver embroidery. The high collar, adjustable so it can be worn either open or closed, is of gray lined with blue. When open it takes the shape of a fan-shaped Medici's collar. At the slightly low waist line the coat belts itself across the front.

An evening mantle developed in scarlet velvet has a large medallion in front embroidered in black and gold. The high collar has black fox on one side and satin on the other, just as the cuffs are partly of fur held by straps of the material. A deep cape of the material is banded with the fur.

Of violet panne velvet a wrap gloriously trimmed with touches of metal and chinchilla fur, has a deep pointed collar finished with a tassel at the back. The front section of the coat forms a muff with fur bands.

Separate waists answer so many obligations that we are as over loath to forsake them. The sober colors of fashion's rainbow are used with suits, especially steel gray, navy and deep red. Blouses of chiffon, Georgette, taffeta, faille, net and taffeta and satin often portray colors such as chartreuse, Copenhagen, cyclamen and gold. White, gray, maize or blush with or without black or white lace, have long sleeves and open collars, or as fancy wishes high collars.

The bit of color on sheer white blouses mark them 1916 models. Waists are often worn outside the skirt. A middy blouse of crepe de chine has the fullness belted in with a sash. Then there is a close-fitting striped taffeta blouse which reaches to the knee and buttons down the front.

A silk jersey waist has a flower embroidered on the left side with another flower embroidered on the opposite sleeve.

White Georgette lace and filet lace combine to make an effective blouse. The waist has a shell collar of the crepe inserted with a wide band of the filet, edged with a knife pleating of the crepe and it is brought around and fastened with a knot of turquoise velvet ribbon. The sleeves are of crepe with inserts of filet gathered very full of the elbow and from that are huge puffs of crepe to the wrists finished with a narrow band of the turquoise ribbon.

Serge and black satin comprise the most obliging one-piece frocks. Old-time cashmere is again used. Navy blue with black, black with pink, natter blue with mauve, or royal blue with black are good combinations. One-piece dresses of taffetas, jersey, velvet, satin, charmeuse, ribbed effects, brocades and pile fabrics—element are vital factors in the trend of fall fashions.

A marine blue charmeuse and black Chantilly lace combine happily in a distinctive gown. The corsage has an unique stiff, wide charmeuse collar topped with a wide ruffled black net collar. The long sleeves of black net with pointed lace cuffs have three-quarter length over sleeves. There is a pleated charmeuse skirt with the sides draped and the underskirt distended from the hips across the back. Pleated black Chantilly lace shadows the front skirt panel.

The Russian dress lends itself well to the style of the moment. A frock of bottle green plush has embroidered designs worked out with multi-colored beads. The pockets are lined with satin to match the material. The belt stops in the front of the pockets, leaving the sides free. A stitched satin collar reaches nearly to the ears. The skirt is banded with chinchilla and the same fur is repeated on the waist.

A one-piece dress of elephant gray zibeline has cartridge pleats appearing in waist and skirt. The front of the bodice is slightly gathered to a yoke, and opens over a deep cream lace vest. The beaver collar fastens in front with a short pad of cloth finishing with a ribbon cravat with beaded ends. The fullness at the sides of the skirt is confined with a cravat of the material. The bottom of each side of the skirt is banded with beaver.

A sumptuous evening gown of black and white taffeta, striped with silver, has the sleeveless bodice in surplice effect, trimmed with embroidered silver net. The skirt is draped in side panel effects and in back into a bustle. These draperies are finished with bands of silver net, dropping over a rose chiffon petticoat, covered with pale pink net with horizontal silver threads. Silver braid and cloth of silver roses trimmed both the skirt and bodice. French blue velvet girdles the waist.

believe that South America, including his own country, will face a tremendous financial crisis when the war ends and to fear that he will be considered a failure. As he is Argentina's first radical president, it would be a party as well as a personal calamity to him.

PROHIBITIONIST BECOMES SHERIFF OF MONTANA COUNTY

MISSOULA, Mont., Sept. 18.—J. W. Jones, a prohibitionist, and the one best rifle shot in the state, became county sheriff Monday. He was elected without opposition last month. In view of a lack of opponents, county officials tried to get him to put his name on some other ticket, for, it being Montana, there were no other prohibition aspirants. That would have saved the county \$80. But Jones wouldn't do it.

RECREATION CONGRESS
TO BE AT GRAND RAPIDS
GRAND RAPIDS, Sept. 18.—A system of play for little boys and girls

to fit them physically to take up the defence of their home land as powerful men and women later on is the program of the International Recreation Congress which will meet here

from the first to the sixth of October. About 20,000 Americans, play experts, business men and women, community building leaders, social work-

ers, educators, political leaders and physicians representing 432 American cities, have been invited to attend. They will discuss "Making Men For America," "Can an Indoor Nation Long Endure?" "Leisure—America's Greatest Unworked Mine of Social Power," "Better Farming," "People," "Marketing Through Better Use of Rural Leisure."

The meetings are to be open.

WAR DEPARTMENT SENDS DOCTOR TO SIAM TO OUST HOOKWORM

TOKIO, Japan, Sept. 18.—Dr. R. W. Mendelson of New York City is on his way from here to Siam Monday as a representative of the United States war department, to take the laziness out of the Siamese by killing off their over supply of hookworms. The government of Siam asked him to do it.

After investigating the cause of so much laziness in Siam the government decided it was the hookworm that caused it and asked the war department to send a doctor to set the country right with industry and energy.

Dr. Mendelson was one of the American physicians sent to Serbia to fight the typhus epidemic early in 1915. After the fall of Belgrade he made the retreat across Serbia with the regiment to which he was attached.

HOG AND CATTLEMEN CUT OUT MIDDLEMAN'S GAIN BY DIRECT SALES

MODESTO, Cal., Sept. 18.—A new feature of the Stanislaus Livestock Show and Exposition here Monday is a "livestock sales day," when the County Farmers Union conducts a co-operative sale of choice butcher stock at the county's swinebreeders organization will sell choice thoroughbred hogs.

All stock will be auctioned and progressive breeders anxious to improve their cattle or swine herds will

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The sisters may get the ballot some day, but they'll never be referred to as the silent vote.—Columbia State.

Women always think they mean what they say—at the time they let it out.

MILLIONS REAPED BY BIG INTEREST IN STOCKS BOOM

NEW YORK, Sept. 18.—The Morgan, Rockefeller and Du Pont groups of financiers have reaped millions in increased valuation of their holdings in the present boom on the stock exchange, according to estimates in Wall street. Steel, oil and motor stocks have been leaders in the wild rush of speculation which showed one million share days and set new high records on many successive days.

The boom started in the "Morgan" group and it is common talk on the street that a bullish sentiment was desired in order to facilitate the flotation of the recent British loan. As the upward movement was getting well under way, Maine election returns were injected into the situation and a price movement followed, described as similar to the boom which started when first returns indicated McKinley's election in 1896.

United States Steel climbed to a record of 107 a share, a figure which was duplicated; General Motors shot upward to a fifty dollar a day rate to 750 a share. On the curb the various Standard Oil stocks have been skyrocketing. Standard Oil of Indiana, Ohio Oil and Prairie Oil and Gas selling up nearly a hundred points during the course of the movement. These three groups represent in order the interests of Morgan, Du Pont and Rockefeller.

International Mercantile Marine another Morgan interest, which, with United States Steel, form the two greatest mergers ever made in this country, has been another of the leaders in the present movement, common selling from fifty cents to \$50.75 and preferred from \$3 to \$125.25 in little more than a year.

Identified with the Du Pont interests are two other groups known as the Kauffman and the Chatham-Phoenix bank group. General Motors, Chevrolet Motors and United Motors, by their advances, have enriched these men by millions. Almost unnoticed General Motors' new stock appeared on the curb market, selling for future delivery "when issued" and jumped from \$125 to \$150 a share.

It is on the curb that the little fellows have run hoestrings into thousands during the present movements. The chief game for the small speculator there has been riding the upward market by purchase of low priced copper stocks. One example of inflation in this list is furnished by United Verde Extension, per value fifty cents, which sold at less than two dollars a share recently and jumped to \$45.

ARGENTINA GRAIN TO ALLIES

BUENOS AIRES, Sept. 18.—Argentina's wheat has been sold almost exclusively to the allies during the last six months. It has been shipped, with practically no exceptions, in British bottoms. The export was 1,379,902 tons, of which the United States took less than 100,000.

ERRAND BOYS STRIKE

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Sept. 18.—One of the strangest strikes in history became effective here Saturday when several hundred errand boys, demanding one cent more per package quit work "indefinitely."



You Men Who Like to be Well Dressed

Will appreciate the stylish clothes we are showing this Fall. There is a distinction, and an individuality about our garments that go straight to the heart of the man who wants to look his best at all times.

There's no excuse for being out of date in the selection of clothes. The very latest cost no more than the other kind. And speaking of cost—you'll be very agreeably surprised to find how little it will cost you to be well dressed if you give us the job of fitting you out from "top to toe."

Come in during the opening days—Wednesday, Thursday and Friday—slip on one of these nifty new suits, and give yourself the "once-over."

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Never in our history have we been better prepared to show the well dressed woman the very latest and best in Wearing Apparel. A visit to our store during the opening days will convince you of our leadership in style, quality and service. We await your pleasure.

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ART NOTES



Chicago has been proving for a good many years her sincere and practical interest in art, but perhaps her public school Art society is as unusual and commendable as any of her organizations. This society has for its object the supervision and selection of pictures, has reliefs, mural paintings, casts and even flowers in the public school buildings of Chicago; the elimination, cleaning and repairing of old possessions; the distribution of new purchases and gifts; the managing of loan exhibitions. It has, through several exhibitions, graphically explained and classified the types of pictures suitable for school room use, and it has made it possible for the public schools to visit the art institute regularly, and under stimulating and sympathetic interpreters. Besides this, it has co-operated with mothers' clubs, women's clubs and art societies—arousing their interest in the question of proper and elevating decoration, and often stimulating them to make gifts.

The society, which is twelve years old, has done strikingly constructive work. Teachers from the manufacturing districts, confronted by the wistful faces of their little charges, have written pleadingly for "something pleasant to look upon; something to suggest pleasant thoughts and emotions." And others touched by the meagerness of the childish lives under their charge and by the responsive eagerness of their love when appealed to, have begged for the loan of exhibits to remain "just a little longer."

The love of beauty is one of the greatest joys that can bless the individual life; and to cultivate that love in a child is to confer on him an inestimable gift. "Possession is more a matter of appreciation than ownership," and the children who live day after day with some tender picture which they have been taught not only to love but to understand, are undergoing a permanent refinement of mind and spirit.

To expect the average teacher to know the decoration for her school room—from the point of architecture and psychology as well as pure art—is to expect too much. This is a special branch of artistic training, and requires a specific body to do it properly.

Those to whom beauty is a vital part of life will appreciate instantly the excellent purpose and achievement of the Chicago Public School Art society. Those who have missed this great solace must be even more touched by the thought of the enriched lives of thousands of little children who come under its happy influence.

If Chicago needs such a society, perhaps a similar opportunity to do some good service exists in La Crosse.

The supply of 500 catalogs printed for use at this exhibit was exhausted Sunday afternoon. More will be printed at once.

The attendance so far has been more than satisfactory—better than was expected in the first week. It has already aggregated over 1,400 people, as follows: On the opening Tuesday afternoon, 76; Wednesday afternoon, 139; Thursday afternoon, 130; Friday afternoon and evening, 450; Saturday afternoon, 171; Sunday afternoon and evening, 450.

Many persons are visiting the exhibit almost every day, and it is good to see how much enjoyment it is affording them.

The present plan is to have the same afternoon hours this week as last, and in addition to keep open on Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday evenings from 7 to 9 o'clock; perhaps also next Sunday afternoon from 2:30 to 9 o'clock, if the interest remains strong.

Funny, isn't it? after all this publicity; but yet several persons timidly looked in Sunday afternoon and asked whether it is free, one woman explaining that she had forgotten to bring her purse. Yes; it's FREE! FREE!! FREE!!!

Most of the big, fine things in this life are gifts—at least, can't be purchased—air, light, friends, beauty—they belong to those who can seize, use, enjoy—deserve them!

STEAMER IS FREED

MANITOWOC, Wis., Sept. 18.—The steamer James H. Hall, which went aground at Two Rivers, has been pulled off shore by twelve fishing tugs.

DRINKING OF WATER

BY V. M. PIERCE, M. D.

The general conclusions of the latest Medical Scientists proves that drinking of plenty of pure water both between meals and with one's meals is beneficial to health. For a great many years it was the erroneous opinion of many medical men and the public generally that the habit of drinking water with the food was harmful to digestion. It has now been proven by means of the X-rays and actual tests upon many healthy young men that the drinking of large amounts of water WITH MEALS is attended with many desirable and few, if any, undesirable features. Therefore if you want to keep healthy drink plenty of pure water (not ice water), both with your meals and between meals. If you ever suffer from backache, lumbago, rheumatism, or any of the symptoms of kidney trouble—such as deep colored urine, sediment in urine, getting out of bed at night frequently and other troublesome effects take a little Anuric before meals. These Anuric Tablets can be obtained at almost any drug store.

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No talking machine manufacturer would dare to submit his talking machine to such a test. It would be too ridiculous. But mark this: Mr. Thomas A. Edison has submitted HIS NEW INVENTION

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FOURTH AND JAY STREETS

WELL-KNOWN GUIDE TO BASS FISHERS DIES OF PLAGUE

August Olson, 1103 Pine street, who was known to La Crosse fishermen as one of the most expert guides on this section of the Mississippi river died at a local hospital early Sunday morning. Death resulted after a short illness with tuberculosis.

Mr. Olson was in demand to lead bass fishermen. They accredited him with knowing more than most of the habits of game fish in this locality.

Mr. Olson was born March 12, 1867, at Bird, Norway, coming to America when a child. He learned the bookbinder's trade and was employed by Nicholas Haerter and others here. For several years he had been in the employ of Joseph Skinner.

A widow and three children survive. The children are Effie, Imogene and Josephine. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Olson, 1402 South Sixth street, and two brothers, Carl, of La Crosse, and Theodore, of St. Paul, Minn., also survive.

Funeral services will be held Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the funeral establishment of Tetley, Sletten and Dahl.

LA CROSSE SHOPS LURING THE EYES OF "EVERYWOMAN"

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merly, a more conservative length prevailing.

Most fascinating are this season's models in trottur frocks, in which serge seems to be the most approved fabric, and which are shown in blue, brown and burgundy. Many of them are enlivened with a touch of bright-colored embroidery. Serge and georgette combinations in tunic effect are also shown, and there are also attractive serge frocks for the growing girl between the ages of twelve and fifteen.

Evening Gowns Attractive

But it was over the evening gowns being shown this year that the manager of one of La Crosse's leading women's ready-to-wear departments became particularly enthusiastic. "Never before," he said, "have there been such a variety of evening frocks shown, and never have they been more beautiful in color and design."

One particularly beautiful model was of cherry colored tulle effectively combined with gold braid. Others shown were in emerald, turquoise and the new "Myrtle blue," while the maize, flesh and white are always popular. The most fetching evening coats are shown in panne velvet, fur-trimmed, in all the pastel shades. In the afternoon gowns were noted many handsome models in navy blue, black, brown and plum, in satin and charmeuse.

The Georgette and crepe de chine blouses continue in popular favor, although the lingerie waists in voiles and marisettes are again finding a place in the modern woman's wardrobe, due to the constantly-increasing shortage in silk materials. Flesh, maize and white seem to be the colors most in demand, although many beautiful blouses are seen in the darker shades, an effective model being of dark blue embroidered in gold. Silk petticoats continue as bouffant as formerly and the high shades still prevail.

Silk Lingerie Irresistible

A visit to the lingerie department of any of the local shops is sure to delight any woman with the dainty creations of washable crepe de chine, satin, and georgette crepe that are being shown — gowns, camisoles, chemises and petticoats, presenting an array much too tempting for any one to resist.

Many Models in Shoes

Shoes continue to play an important part in Milady's toilette and a large variety of attractive footwear is being shown for her selection. The most popular shoes of the fall season are the two-tone combinations in dark and light gray, gray and black, fawn and brown and black and white. The laced boot seems to have a slight advantage over the buttoned shoe, this season's fancy running more to the laced models. The Louis heel is featured on all this season's footwear. Many good models are also being shown in the black, which, though staple, continues a favorite with many. A novelty being shown this fall is the new gray oze, and the Russia half, in black and brown, is again coming into its own and is better than ever this fall.

Simplicity in Hats

Hats are large or small, according to the desire of the wearer, but all hats, large or small, are extremely simple in design and trimming. We quote one of La Crosse's leading milliners:

"After weeks of apprehension and anxious waiting, despite strikes, European turmoil and transportation difficulties, we are able to announce to the expectant La Crosse woman that there is being shown, this season, a display of fall millinery far outclassing anything we have ever dared to hope for.

"Big hats are bigger than ever, and small hats smaller. Everything is characterized by that 'charm of simplicity' which is always the touch and mark of a real genius. Shapes are sailors, mushrooms, pokes, flare fronts, side effects and smart turbans. Leading colors are purple, taupe, old rose, burgundy and green.

"Wonderful gold and silver trimmings are very pronounced. Feather ornaments, wings, bands of guinea hen and pheasant, are particularly favored. Embroidered birds and flowers are set boldly on otherwise plain shapes. Fur also plays an important part.

"In a word, the scantier the trimming, the natter the hat."

"Serenity, health and affluence attend the desire of rising by labor." — Goldsmith.

"Persevering labor overcomes all difficulties." — Virgil.

Fall Announcement

Just now it is time to consider renewing your Fall finery and other articles of Winter wearing apparel. Our Special Dry Cleaning Process, backed by years of experience and modern equipment, enables us to produce more satisfactory results than can be obtained elsewhere.

If your heavy clothes don't need cleaning, send them to us to be pressed. Telephone for our wagon today.

New Process Cleaners

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NORMAL CORRIDORS ARE CROWDED WITH ENTERING PUPILS

The normal school was astir Monday morning in the process of enrolling hundreds of new students in the many courses of the curriculum.

One of the marked features about today's enrollment at the school, which is the eighth in its history, is that an almost entire change has taken place in the student body. New faces are in the majority.

Despite the fact that a new normal school is being opened this year at Eau Claire, it is expected that the number of students enrolled at the La Crosse normal will be as large as last year's record attendance.

BLACKMAILING TO EXTENT OF MILLION CHARGED OF GANG

CHICAGO, Sept. 18.—More than a million dollars is said by government agents to have been secured from rich women and men over the U. S. by five men and three women held here on federal warrants under prohibitive bail.

MILWAUKEE FIRE LEAVES VAST LOSS

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Sept. 18.—Fire which started in the Peter Schmidt Stone company's plant on North avenue, shortly after noon Monday, has destroyed fifteen homes and a two story frame building, one and one-half blocks long and is still burning. Many more homes are in danger.

MILITIA HEAD OF U. S. ARMY DEAD

WASHINGTON, Sept. 18.—Major General Albert L. Mills, chief of the division of militia affairs, U. S. A., died at his home here Monday of pneumonia. He had been ill only twelve hours.

ON THE EVE OF BATTLE

The Madison golf links adjoin Senator La Follette's farm. The senator was directing some men in the digging of a ditch. Billy Wolfe, democratic candidate for the United States senate, sliced a ball over the line. Senator La Follette picked it up and walked over to the links. The rival candidates met, shook hands and exchanged pleasantries. It really did seem to be a cordial meeting, and why not? For La Follette and Wolfe are old friends.

SPOTLIGHTS

FISKE O'HARA

An important feature of Fiske O'Hara's performance, "His Heart's Desire," in which the actor-singer will be seen here shortly, and one which contributes in a large measure to the enjoyment of music lovers generally, is the musical program rendered before the performance and between the acts, by Mr. O'Hara's augmented orchestra, under the direction of Mr. Cass Freeborn. The program is as follows:

Overture, "His Heart's Desire" . . . Freeborn
La Lisonjera Chaminade
Violin solo by Mr. Albert Pearl . . .
Habanera, from "Natoma" . . . Herbert
Cello solo by Mr. Herman Steisel . . .
Trio by Mr. Freeborn, Mr. Pearl and Mr. Steisel
Matinata-Leoncavallo
Mr. Freeborn is popularly recognized as one of the leading musical directors of the day, while Messrs. Pearl and Steisel rank as artists of the very highest class. The acquisition of this trio has done much to further raise Mr. O'Hara's performance far above the average Irish play.

ALEXANDER HERE TO ADJUST STREET CAR CASE

Chairman Walter Alexander of the railroad commission is in the city. He arranged for a trip over the streets proposed for new street car lines late Monday afternoon with City Attorney J. E. Higbee. He will meet Mayor Bentley and other officials Tuesday morning to go over the situation.

KAVALA DESTROYED AND PEOPLE FLEE IS ROME REPORT

LONDON, Sept. 18.—The Greek port of Kavala has been destroyed and the population transported to Bulgaria, said a Rome wireless message Monday.

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For the musically, artistic, TUSKO Needles fill a long felt want and when, at first thought, the price of \$1.00 per dozen may seem high, but when consideration is taken of the fact that one TUSKO Needle will play hundreds and hundreds of times and render better music, they are the cheapest needles you can buy.

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GERMANY DENIES SHE IS MILITARY AS IS ALLEGATION

People Through Socialist Leader Have Confidence in Chancellor; War Spirit Declared Suppressed

By CARL W. ACKERMAN (United Press Staff Correspondent) BERLIN.—(By Mail.)—An American diplomat recently declared the greatest mistake in the war is the use of the term "Militarism." "No one," he said, "will ever agree on what it means and it is going to be difficult to end the war because of that."

The spirit of the German people during the last year cannot be shown without discussing "German Militarism." In outlining the people's attitude toward the war the kaiser and the government, militarism will not be justified or criticised. Recent developments in Germany will be discussed in their relation to what is generally termed Germany's military party.

At the beginning of the war there was great enthusiasm throughout Germany. More than a million men volunteered to fight. During the first year they fought hard, died or were wounded. The people at home began to economise. This spirit carried the armies far into France and Russia.

Determination Unabated During the second year this enthusiasm has not been so great but the determination of the people has not abated. They want peace at once. If they can obtain reasonable terms of peace, if they had to vote to go on until they can get these terms or to stop and accept the terms of the enemy, they would vote to go on.

Germany wants peace because Germany believes she has won the war. There are critics and grumblers dissatisfied with everything. Every belligerent has about as many as the other. The difference is that in England they grumble publicly, in Germany they cannot; and when people cannot criticize publicly, they do it twice as hard privately.

The people are individually personally interested in the war because every person has some relative at the front. The best indication of the public support of the war is the vote of the Reichstag in June of the new war credit of two billion marks. There was less opposition to it than to the one before. The socialists supported it for the fourth time and socialist members of the Reichstag are in hourly touch with public sentiment.

Scheidmann Leader Philip Scheidmann, a socialist leader is one of the best informed men in Germany on public sentiment. Scheidmann is in constant communication with the Imperial Chancellor. The Chancellor is received more often by the kaiser than any other of the ministers. Scheidmann and the chancellor are the connecting links between the kaiser and the people. Scheidmann and his followers did not have confidence in the chancellor and in the kaiser there would be more evidences of it in the Reichstag. The kaiser trusts the chancellor's judgment, absolutely. Scheidmann trusts the chancellor's judgment and the public trusts the socialist leader. So the public still has confidence in the aims of the government as announced by von Bethmann-Hollweg in the Reichstag.

Deny Allegation The people themselves deny that they are militaristic. They believe their army is their police force, thoroughly equipped and prepared for defense. To the people, this is a defensive war. They are not fighting to hold Belgium, Poland or Serbia. They are against annexation. If the war lasts longer and they are further victorious, they may change, but there is no indication of it now. Whatever happens a great deal will depend upon the attitude of the press. The



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You will be surprised at the prices, too.

Come into our store and see the Men's and Young Men's Suits we are offering at
\$15.00, \$18.00, \$20.00 and up

BOYS' CLOTHES

Our reputation for selling the best in boys' clothes will be even more secure when the mothers and fathers see what we have for the little fellow at

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Let us suggest that this is a good time to make your selection of a Fall or Winter Overcoat. The new ones are here at

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DAY WEDDING, AFTERNOON CALL AND MATINEE RECEPTION	Black Cutaway Chesterfield Overcoat	White or To Match Coat	Striped Grey Worsted	High Silk with Felt Band	Stiff or Pleated White	Wing or Poke	Pearl Once-over, Ascot or Four-in-hand to Match Cravat	Pearl Suede or Lace to Match Cravat	Patent Leather Buttoned Kid Tops	Pearl or Moonstone Links, Studs and Cravat Pin
BUSINESS LOUNGE AND MORNING WEAR	Jacket Chesterfield Overcoat	To Match Jacket or of Grey Fancy Fabric	To Match Jacket or of Grey Striped Fabric with Dark Jacket	Derby or Soft	Pleated or Neglige Fancy	Fold or Wing	Four-in-hand or Tie	Tan Cape or Chamorro	Laced Calf or Russet	Pearl, Gold or Jeweled Links
MOTORING, GOLF, DRIVING, COUNTRY	Norfolk or Jacket Belted or Chesterfield Overcoat	To Match Jacket or of Fancy	To Match Jacket or of Flannel Knicker for field sports	Cap or Soft Hat	Neglige with Soft Cuffs	Fold or Soft Outing Collar	Four-in-hand or Tie Stock for Riding	Tan Cape or Chamorro	Laced Calf or Russet	Pearl or Gold Links Gold Chain
AFTERNOON TEA, AND PROMENADE	Black Cutaway Chesterfield Overcoat	To Match Coat or of Fancy Fabric	Grey Striped Worsted	High Silk or Soft	Pleated White or Fancy	Wing or Fold	Four-in-hand or Once-over	Grey Suede or Reindeer	Patent Leather Dull Calf Laced or Buttoned Kid Tops	Gold or Jeweled Links, Studs and Cravat Pin
EVENING DRESS										
EVENING WEDDING, BALL, RECEPTION, FORMAL DINNER AND THEATRE	Swallowtail Cape, Skirted or Chesterfield Overcoat	White Single or Double Breasted of Pique, Loco or Silk	Same Material as Coat	High Silk with Felt Band	Stiff Linen or Pique White	Poke, Wing or Lapel	White Tie of Plain or Figured, Pique or Linen	White Glace or Reindeer White Cape for Theatre	Patent Leather Buttoned Tops	Pearl or Moonstone Links and Studs Platinum Bar Chain
COUNTRY DANCE, INFORMAL DINNER, CLUB STAG AT HOME DINNER	Jacket Black or Oxford Chesterfield Overcoat	Black Silk or Linen Single or Double Breasted	Same Material as Jacket	Derby or Soft	Pleated White or Pique or Linen	Fold or Wing	Black Silk Tie	Grey Suede, Tan Cape or Chamorro	Dull Calf Laced or Gummel Pumps	Gold or Jeweled Links and Studs Gold Bar Chain

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present just as they are in every other country in the world.

That is the reason the spirit of the German people as a whole is good. The people trust the chancellor.

The kaiser trusts von Bethmann-Hollweg's judgment. The Reichstag respects von Bethmann-Hollweg's statement and ideas and if the war lasts another year from present indications it will strengthen the position of the chancellor and every move in that direction is a move toward a freer Germany because the chancellor and kaiser are both pledged to franchise reforms in Germany after the war, the very things the old leaders of the so-called "military party" have been fighting against for the last five years.

STATE BUILDING LABORATORY FOR CHOLERA SERUM

MADISON, Wis., Sept. 18. — The state's new laboratory for the manufacture of hog serum, on the university farm, was practically ready for occupation today.

The building, of yellow brick, contains seven rooms, including the laboratory, the bleeding rooms where hogs are killed for serum purposes, a dressing room, an office and an ice room, incased in seven thicknesses of heatproof material. Its cost was \$5,000.

Dr. B. A. Beach will be in charge of the production of serum in the laboratory. Two hundred and fifty immune hogs will be used in preparing the first installment of serum.

Wisconsin's financial loss due to hog cholera last year is estimated at \$250,000 and that figure is said to be lower than the loss in any of the immediately preceding five years. The disease this year is giving the farmers much worry.

GERMANY'S JABBERWORK MARKET HITS SKIDS

LONDON, Sept. 1.—(By Mail.)—Germany's jabberwork market has hit the skids.

"The birds and the beasts were there" when General Smuts grabbed most of German East Africa and the Kaiser's colonialists fled.

A blood sweating behemoth doesn't

give a darn what flag flies on his hunting ground. Neither does a dink dak or a whiffenpoof or a man eating pitfik. So Germany is cut off from her zoological supply.

The first shipload of animals is here from the new British territory today, consigned to E. H. Bostock.

Twenty-five baboons goose-stepped at leash about the decks with still a shadow of German accent in their chatter. Six porcupines with fixed

bayonets held a small hollow square and 400 birds screeched while a pair of secretary birds made notes for reference.

"The Germans will never regain their animal trade," said Bostock on Monday.

What you say about your neighbors may be nothing to what they think about you.

A Wonderful Showing of FURS



Never has FASHION dictated more wonderful Styles in FURS than those Shown for this Season.

We have filled our store with everything that is new and desirable in all the popular skins, made up in the very latest designs.

We invite you to look these goods over during the opening days. We know you will be interested.

Bring us your Furs for repairing or remodeling. We guarantee our work and our charges are most reasonable.

WISCONSIN FUR CO.

113 North Third Street

Miss A. K. La Van, Manager

THE MORNING HOURS ARE BEST FOR SHOPPING.

We Extend To Every Woman A Cordial Invitation To Attend Our

FALL OPENING

ANNOUNCING

New Modes for Fall and Early Winter of

Outer Apparel
Furs

and

Millinery

for

WOMEN, MISSES and GIRLS

SEPTEMBER 20-21-22

BURROWS
407-409 MAIN STREET



ADVERTISING THE MIRROR OF TRADE SAYS ADVERTISER

Aims of the Columbus Advertising Club, Delivered at the Deshler Hotel August 24 by H. H. Hershey

COLUMBUS, O., Sept. 18.—Declaring advertising the mirror through which the character of a business is reflected, and pleading for every measure toward betterment of selling conditions and advertising, H. H. Hershey, president, recently addressed a meeting of the Columbus Advertising club at the Hotel Deshler here: He said: "At this the beginning of our activity for the fall and winter, it is perhaps well to review our principles and aims. Let it not be thought, however, that our work is either seasonal or occasional. I am glad to say that the activities of the Advertising club have extended through the hot weather, and that the accomplish-

ments, while not spectacular, have nevertheless been substantial. "Advertising is the projection of business activity into a larger field. It is the placing of an enterprise before a larger number, the extension of a store or merchandizing effort into the wider field. This applies no matter what form the advertising takes. The successful advertiser is he who succeeds in telling a large number of the service he can render, in such a way as to create a desire for that service, instill confidence that he has that service in proper measure, and develop this desire and confidence into action.

Selling Service

"For in the final analysis, we are not selling so many bolts of cloth, so many pounds of food, so much steel and iron cunningly devised, but we are selling the service these articles are capable of doing to a man who is willing to part with his money to secure this service. This is as true of the man who sells a suit of clothes or a bran ventilator as it is of the lawyer, the dentist or the physician. "Since it is service we are selling, it is absolutely necessary to successful advertising, to that constructive salesmanship that builds up a business, that a large measure of confidence be established. It may be pos-

sible, by questionable methods, to gull a part of the public, and it may be that part is large enough to give a man or a business house a great trade, but the most of us realize that it is the most expensive way of doing business, that the gaining and holding of the good will of a customer means a repeated order from him, which costs less to get and therefore affords a larger profit than the initial sale. These repeat orders are what build a business into permanency, establish it like a rock, and lead to the largest measure of success.

Must Establish Confidence

"A permanent business is always built upon confidence. This confidence is simply a belief in the honesty, the common garden variety of honesty of the advertiser. Even the dishonest advertiser does his utmost to secure this belief. "Now, if advertising is the extension of business into a larger field, and we know it is, the reader of the advertising gains his impression of the store or the business, whatever it may be, from the words and methods of the advertising. How important it is, therefore, that this advertising makes the correct impression!

"A speaker before this club last year said that there were stores in

this town he would not enter because of the impression of their character and practices he had gained from their advertising copy. So many hold this same view that advertising becomes not only a constructive force, but in such cases it may be considered as a destructive engine as well. The store that has this character of advertising positively destroys its chances to make customers of the well informed.

This is as it should be, too. If an advertiser is projecting his store into a larger field through a public appeal, that appeal should and always does reflect the character of the store. If the advertising is dishonest, the reader knows that the store is untrustworthy, and he is put on his guard and avoids transactions with it.

Advertising a Mirror

"If the advertising is flamboyant, he is justified in the belief that the store itself is marked by that characteristic. If the advertising is exaggerated, he may well believe the salesmen will exaggerate, that the goods will not come up to the quality claimed for them, and that he will not get the service he may reasonably expect.

"If the advertising is hypocritical of others, he knows that the store is more concerned with what its competitors are doing than with the desire to do him a service. If the advertising misrepresents, he will expect misrepresentation in the store. And if the advertising is undignified, uncouth and coarse, the same qualities may be expected in the store.

"So we may see advertising is quite like the projection of views with a stereopticon. The picture thrown upon the screen for us is greatly magnified from the picture upon the slide, and the faults are brought out as glaringly as the good points.

"These faults are either of arrangement, which is overcome by care and experience, and springs from lack of knowledge, or these faults are in the statements of the copy, which is a matter of intent, an expression of the heart-thought of the store.

"If the latter, a real change of is necessary before the advertising can be in a large measure effective. Honesty in advertising is not a mere slogan of the idealist. It springs from the hearts of men who believe that dishonesty is always wrong, that misrepresentation is always a disadvantage, and that the customer has a right to be protected by the man to whom he pays his money. There is no defense for the man who sells

goods under false pretenses. He is a criminal at heart.

Better Selling Conditions

"So the movement of which we are a part is for the betterment of conditions of merchandising as well as for better advertising. It is an appeal to the merchant to do full justice to his customers, and an attempt to educate him to advantages to the commercial world and to him of strict honesty in the transaction of business with his own friends who favor him with their trade.

"Just picture in your own minds what this would mean and the increased value of each advertisement put forth. When the public believes implicitly what is stated in the advertising its response will be immediate, and effective beyond all precedent. Is it too much to say that the time will come when the state-

ments of the salesmen in the stores and that the truth of everyone made will always be beyond question? I believe such a state of affairs will eventually arrive, and when it does, no man will question how much his advertising pays him.

"On behalf of this organization, and speaking as its president, I ask the co-operation of all sellers of any kind of merchandise, and all buyers of any kind of merchandise, in the effort to establish between buyer and seller that large measure of confidence that means success for the merchant, satisfaction for the buyer and a larger structure of business success upon the broader foundation of the Golden Rule."

When a miser marries he picks out a woman who looks nice in her old clothes.

TO INTERN PRISONERS

PARIS, Sept. 18.—Premier Briand announced that the French government had decided to accept a proposal to intern in Switzerland all prisoners of war who were parents of three or more children and who have been in captivity for sixteen months or more. The proposal is under the consideration of the Swiss government.

CHINESE OFFICIAL ARRESTED

SHANGHAI, Sept. 18.—Chang Yao Tseng, the new minister of justice, has been arrested in connection with a gigantic opium smuggling case which threatens to disrupt the cabinet and involve many prominent men.

In order to hold his job a diplomat must hold his tongue.



For the varied needs of the Younger Girl's Wardrobe

You are invited to make this store your Headquarters

During The

FALL OPENING

Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, Sept. 20-21-22

Shipments of New Fall Merchandise received daily.

F. W. Woolworth & Co.

5c and 10c STORE.



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Fall Millinery Display

Your Presence is Requested

WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY and FRIDAY

September 20, 21, 22

to view the newest creations in clever FALL MILLINERY

KLOSHEIM'S

509 Main Street.

MANY LEAVE FOR COLLEGES FROM M'GREGOR, IOWA

Students Make Annual Departures for Schools; Irishman Is Struck by Train; Claims Relationship to Wealthy Man

WALKERS WED 50 YEARS

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Walker Celebrate Golden Wedding Anniversary; Walker Oldest Insurance Man in Iowa

M'GREGOR, Iowa.—(Special.)—Last week has seen the annual departure of McGregor students to college. Among the number who have left are Vincent Daubenberger and Carrol Daubenberger, Grinnell college; Cecil Pelck, Katharine Kramer and Carl Erbe, Iowa State Normal; Clayton Nelson, Upper Iowa University; and Harold Doyle, St. Joseph's College, Dubuque. George Rehm of the class of 1916 will enter Iowa State University as a freshman and Saerman Chase the University of Wisconsin. Charles Turner has returned to Toronto, Canada to resume his studies in a private school there.

Irishman Seriously Hurt

A freight train struck a man on the tracks south of Harper's Ferry last night, seriously injuring him. He was brought to the hospital at McGregor where he has been in a delirious condition most of the time since. His head and both legs were badly gashed. In his rational moments he says he was working for a construction company at Rushford, Minn., until two weeks ago when he left them, and got drunk and has been drunk ever since. He gives his name as Thomas Foley and says he came to America from Dublin five years ago. He has asked that a sister whom he claims is the wife of a wealthy Dublin banker be written to.

Married 50 Years

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Walker passed the fiftieth milestone of their married life Tuesday, September 12. Mr. Walker came to McGregor in 1864 and has resided here continually since being engaged in the insurance business. It is believed that he is the oldest man in Iowa still actively engaged in that line of work. It was in 1866 while Mrs. Walker was visiting in McGregor that the romance which has culminated in fifty years of happy married life had its origin. Mr. Walker says they have been separated forty days altogether in the half century. A purse of fifty dollars in gold was presented Mr. and Mrs. Walker by a number of

NO PEACE WITHOUT ALLIED VICTORY IS RUSSIAN POSITION

Ex-President of Third Duma Declares Slavs Unalterably Set for Way to Advantage

PEASANTS BACK DUMA

Farmers, Composing Eighty Per Cent of Population, Are One to Fight to the End

BY WILLIAM PHILIP SIMMS
(United Press Staff Correspondent)
PETROGRAD (By Mail)—"You can't write an article about peace in Russia," declared Sergius Shidlovsky, ex-vice president of the third imperial duma and president of the bureau of the progressive bloc, as we paced the long, hardwood floor of the duma lobby.

"You can't, because there is but one thing to be said about it—one short, sharp, emphatic word—No."

This sums up fairly well the attitude of the Russian people regarding peace on any other basis than an allied victory. Two years of war waged under trying circumstances finds them more determined than ever. They feel that they have just begun to fight because they are just now getting organized for fighting.

Rumors of a separate peace with Russia have been spread with considerable frequency. It has been said that there is even a peace party here, that a considerable element among the population demands peace. I have failed to discover such a party or such an element.

"It is a German lie!" the president of the duma, Mikhail Rodzianko, said when I told him that neutrals had been informed more than once that Russia might accept separate peace. He did not say this in anger. Rather he smiled. His attitude was considerably like that of Mark Twain who, when informed of his own reported demise replied with a dry chuckle that the report had been grossly exaggerated.

Rodzianko was emphatic but unfretted. He appeared to know whereof he spoke.

"Peace now would be the greatest blow ever suffered by Russia," Shidlovsky declared. "Perhaps our greatest benefit to be derived from the war is our economic independence of Germany. Peace at this juncture would fail to give us this. Economically Germany has exploited us for long. She has called us the 'hinterland' of Europe peopled by Russian barbarians fit only to be her vassals and a source of profit."

"We have thrown off this yoke. The commercial treaty she imposed during our war with Japan, more beneficial to Germany than to us, no longer binds. When peace and victory come, Russia will hold the new freedom she has won and develop her own industries to the profit of her own people."

"These are some of the benefits of the war which Russia expects. Until Germany is beaten we can not get them. Can you wonder that every Russian says 'No!' when you mention peace now?"

Peasants for War

"But the peasants—about 80 per cent of your population—are they for war?" I asked. The leader of the biggest bloc, the controlling group in the duma, replied with a satisfied smile:

"They are, and they have every right to be. They were never more prosperous than now. Their spirit is fine. You won't find any class of people in Russia more optimistic than they."

And he should know, being a landowner and farmer himself. He came direct from his plantation down near Moscow to take part in the duma proceedings, fresh from among the countryfolks, the backbone of Russia. To the president of the duma I put the question:

"What is the attitude of the peasant towards the war?"

"He is for continuing it until Russia wins," was the reply. "He knows what German domination means and doesn't want it."

Scoff at Peace Talk

"American newspapers are reporting lots of peace talk these days," I suggested. "What do you think of it?"

"Seems mostly of German origin," President Rodzianko said. "Most of it appears to come from Berlin through your correspondents quoting German officials. The rest, and all appearance is prepared by German agents in the United States."


"But all neutral countries are hearing considerable about peace. Do you believe there is a movement on foot to bring about an early end to the war?" I queried.

"All I can say is this," he answered. "Any peace talk now is unfriendly to the allies, so I leave you to guess who is doing most of the talking. If it does the Germans any good, however, to talk peace, let them talk. It certainly does us no harm. Still this is no time for neutrals to attempt to start negotiations."

Here the presiding officer of Russia's representative body laughed good naturedly, adding: "And if the United States tries to make peace between Germany and the allies at this stage of the game, we will never forgive her."

Though said in the most pleasant fashion imaginable, the duma leader clearly meant what he said. Moreover I had been expecting the remark. Statesmen in France had said the same thing to me, time and again. Englishmen say it. And the Italians, Belgians, and Serbs. In Russia, as in other allied countries, one is frequently asked the question:

"Is America going to try to make peace?" By the way it is asked one



Announcing the Formal Opening of Our Fall, 1916 Fashion Displays

ORIGINALITY

Originality is in clear evidence throughout every garment in our collection—not that originality that goes to extremes, but rather that degree of originality which good taste and culture will permit. You are cordially invited to view our opening display of fall styles.

Von Wald-Bedessem

422 MAIN ST., LA CROSSE, WIS.

can detect resentment. No ally likes the idea. Prime Minister Aristide Briand, of France, upon assuming office declared:

"We will have peace through victory." In Russia they say the same thing.

TRAIN HIT BY ENGINE

NEW YORK, Sept. 18.—Several persons were injured, none, it is believed seriously, Saturday, when Pennsylvania passenger train No. 115, New York to Washington was side-swiped at the east entrance of the Hudson river tube by a shifting engine.

APPETITE AND HEALTH

Loss of appetite is a sure sign of ill health.

Those who take Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People as a tonic invariably say that their improvement began with a noticeable increase in the appetite. When you are sick and your vitality is low your appetite fails. Nothing tastes good. You take no pleasure in your meals. Under such circumstances good digestion is impossible.

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills tone up the entire system, the blood is enriched and good red blood is essential to normal digestion. The glands that secrete the digestive fluids are strengthened, not merely stimulated, and you once more enjoy a good appetite. Looking forward pleasantly to meal-time is the first sign of returning health, strength and vitality.

What to eat then becomes a problem and it is solved by the diet book that the Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Schenectady, N. Y., will send you on request. It gives the relative digestibility of different foods, gives the proper diet in various diseases and is a handy book to have.

The price of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills is fifty cents per box. Your own druggist sells them or they will be sent by mail, postpaid, on receipt of price.

Verse and Reverse

The City of Numbered Dead
I never knew a rose could grow
So passing fair to me;
I never saw a flower blow
As on some Calvary.
For there's no bud that blooms so fair,
Or perfect petals show
As in the city of the dead
Where few men ever go.

I never knew a bird could sing
Save in the azure blue;
I never heard a lute begin—
A soaring lute so true
As when I gazed aloft, around
In search of winged cheer,
To find that from the fallow ground
One note was rising clear.

I never thought that from the gloom
Of cold gray walls, a man
Who dwelt within a lonely tomb
Could dream as free men can;
And yet when hope has ever fled,
Crushed with an iron heel,
In cities of the numbered dead,
God's lifting love I feel.
—Sing Sing No. 65368.

CONFESSES TO MURDER

CHICAGO, Sept. 18.—Walter Wendt, 19, Altoona, Pa., arrested here with his brother, Carl, 30, in connection with the murder of Patrolman Michael McGinley October 15, 1915, at Altoona, confessed on Friday that he was partly responsible for the crime, according to the police. Wendt's alleged confession implicated his brother Frank, 24.

TURN DOWN UNION JACK

WASHINGTON, Sept. 18.—A proposal to include the British flag in their celebrations was voted down overwhelmingly by the Colored Odd Fellows in annual convention. "We know but one flag," said George H. Woodson, Iowa delegate.

Bring up a penny in the way it should go, and when it is old it shall not depart from thee.

HERE ARE A FEW OF THE WORLD'S RICHEST WOMEN

Who are the richest women in the world? Contrary to what one might at first hand conclude, these women are not found in the United States, and even when Hetty Green was alive with her \$100,000,000 and the title of "world's richest woman" frequently bestowed upon her, it would seem that Uncle Sam must yield the financial palm here to some other country. Bertha Krupp (Baroness von Bohlens), owner of Krupp's immense gunworks at Essen, is by some authorities reputed to be worth twice the sum attributed to Hetty Green. The earnings of the vast center of destruction which is now Germany's very staff of life in the war, have reached fabulous sums during the past two years, and the already staggering fortune of this German Rockefeller in petticoats is said to have increased by a third. Another millionairess of Rockefellerian size is Senora Cusino of Chili, owner of silver, coal and copper mines, whose "little pile" is estimated at \$200,000,000. Mexico also boasts of an immensely wealthy woman, Senora Creel, whose income is a million a year. As to American rich women, it is estimated that the tidy sum of \$1,000,000,000 is in the hands of women in the United States "in their own right," and if statistics are true 45 women of great wealth in the country entirely manage and hold the purse strings of more than \$72,000,000. Mrs. Mary Harriman, Mrs. Russell Sage, and Mrs. Annie Wightman Walker of Philadelphia are generally estimated women of almost limitless wealth, though their fortunes are never described in such staggering figures as these tales told of foreign wealth. These may be cases where distance lends body to the purse, and American feminine fortunes possibly are described abroad with the same lavish use of millions on paper.

Instant Bunion Relief

Guaranteed — or Not a Cent's Charge

You need not suffer bunion torture an hour longer. No matter how large or painful your bunions may be—no how often or by whom treated and pronounced "incurable"—here at least is convincing proof that there is positive relief for you—right now—today.

"Bunion Comfort"

Is Guaranteed to Give Instant Relief

and positively cure the most stubborn bunions. You'll have peace and comfort as soon as you apply one. The pain and inflammation disappear like magic. You can really enjoy walking once more. Ladies can wear their natural, small size shoes without discomfort—don't cut holes in your shoes and use old fashioned cotton or felt wads, washers and steel contraptions. "Bunion Comfort" is the common sense logical remedy for bunions. It absorbs and draws out the inflammation, softens and dissolves the accumulated layers of cartilage which really make the bunion, thus reducing the enlargement and restoring the deformed foot to its healthy normal size.

Get a Box of "Bunion Comfort" Today

try two plasters free and if you do not declare this to be the most marvelous bunion remedy you've ever tried—return the other ten plasters and get your money back.

GEO. E. MARINER, Pharmacist, 425 Main Street



GRAND SHOWING OF FALL CLOTHES FOR MEN

NEXT WEDNESDAY TO SATURDAY

THE NIFTIEST CREATIONS OF THE SEASON COUPLED
WITH THE HANDSOMEST FABRICS MADE IN AMERICA
ARE NOW HERE—READY FOR YOU TO PUT ON—

STUNNING PATTERNS IN
NEW FALL SUITS

In Belted Pinchback Single or Double Breasted Models for the
Young Man, or Rich Conservative Models for the Business Man.

\$15, \$18, \$20, \$22, \$25, \$28, \$30, \$35

HANDSOME TOP-COATS

Lightweight — For Spring and Fall Wear, Waterproof
\$10, \$12, \$15, \$20.

First Showing of Winter OVERCOATS

Beautiful Fabrics in Snappy or Conservative Styles now on display
\$12, \$15, \$18, \$20, \$25, to \$35.

FALL HATS ARE SELLING BIG
GET YOURS THIS WEEK\$2.00, \$3.00, \$3.50

Peter Newburg

LA CROSSE'S LARGEST CLOTHING HOUSE



Few Departures in Fall Headwear

Men's hats for fall show in a very marked degree the effect of the war and resulting raw material conditions. Light colors are being featured because they must feature light colors. Pearl, grey, tan and natural shades will be much in evidence. Dark colors will be shown, of course, and sold as heretofore, but instability of these colors in the cheaper lines will influence the dealers to emphasize the light colors, realizing that they will give the wearers surer satisfaction in addition to the fact that they are decreed most fashionable. In the matter of shape, the military influence again asserts itself, especially in the soft hats, which are toward lower crowns and broader and flatter brims. Also narrow silk bands will be in vogue again, intensifying the military aspect of these soft hats for fall and winter. Accordingly "trooper" shapes will be very popular. Some of these hats have the narrow bindings stitched on while others have the raw edge or welt edge brims.

The turned under binding is also a feature of some of the models. Besides the shades of pearl and tan, olive drab of the tone worn by our soldiers is popular. Apple green is another good shade. In fact, green in various shades is the dominating notes in the soft hats for the season. Even where the felt is of tan, pearl or steel, green often appears as the contrasting trimming effect. Browns are shown to some extent—a great deal more than either black or blue, which for this season are in the background. Another new feature in soft hats is the shadow mixed effects shown chiefly in dark greens, oxfords and steel. Next in popularity to the "trooper" shapes will be the alpines with slightly drooping brims. Fedora shapes are also shown somewhat. Telescopes are not well defined in the early edicts, so it is believed they are not highly regarded for the season. Optimo shapes are for the present suffering a partial eclipse.

Each succeeding season sees a more noticeable retirement of the stiff hat. For this fall and winter derbies are shown in very conservative shape, in fact show but the slightest variations from last season. A trifle wider brim, a somewhat lower crown and a little less rounding of curl. Whatever departures are noticeable in these stiff hats will be a tendency toward emphasizing lighter colors. Pearls, tans, steels and dark browns are shown more for this fall than has been observed for several seasons past. There are also contrast schemes in the trimming effects, black bands with the light pearl, and in the other shades the bands will be of a lighter tone of the same color as the foundation.

In caps the vogue is toward very Scotch patterns. Jockey shapes are most fashionable, even though these styles have not as yet found the popularity of the more conservative golf shapes.

PICNICS ALONG WITH HARD WORK RUPP DECLARES

Captain of B Company Says the
Men Have Many Enjoyable
Times, Especially Visiting
Old Spanish Places

"AND OH, THE SCOOPS"
Rupp Describes Terrific Storm
Which Sent Him and Schultz
Outdoors to Drive Tent
Stakes

That the sojourn of Badger troops on the border is less irksome than has been gathered from letters of what Captain Herman Rupp of B company of La Crosse calls chronic kickers, is indicated in a letter from Captain Rupp from New Braunfels to George J. Roellig, secretary of the Governor's Guard association of La Crosse.

Captain Rupp says the men have plenies along with the hard work of hikes and camp life.

The letter follows:

"New Braunfels, Texas,
Sept. 2, 1916.
"Mr. Geo. J. Roellig,
"Secy. Gov. Guard Assn.,
"La Crosse, Wis.
"Dear Friend George: Since writing the Governor's Guard association we have spent a couple of weeks at Leon Springs, then back at Camp Wilson and now we are out near New Braunfels at Landas park. Leon Springs is about twenty-two miles from Camp Wilson. Here is located the government reservation, some 20,000 acres. It is a stretch of low, broad hills and wide, shallow valleys.

Much Like McCoy
"It is covered with shrubs and stunted trees. This reservation looks much like Camp McCoy only the valleys are five to ten times broader and the slopes of the hills are more graduated. The rifle range is located here. There are camp accommodations here, such as shower baths and water for a brigade at a time. There are target ranges enough for a regiment at a time. The men slept in pup tents. We made good use of our time here. Our regiment had three different days for rifle work. The other days were used in working out problems in battalion, regimental and brigade formation. The last few days we devoted to combat exercises, shooting at targets that bob up suddenly at different ranges and disappear.

"While here the men amused themselves hunting rattlesnakes. One mule and a dog were bitten by them. The men killed hundreds of them and made hat bands out of the skins. Some of the fellows went regularly on snake hunting trips but never returned with game. We soon found out that there was something else that attracted them—a couple of Germans were running a refreshment stand just a mile or so off the reservation, selling such things as barreled soda water—you know the kind that comes packed in barrels.

Chiggers Troublesome
Many of the men were covered with chiggers' bites. These are tiny insects that bury themselves in the skin, causing pimples that itch and become very irritating when scratched. Some of the men had their bodies just covered in spots and others had none at all. There is nothing dangerous in these bites but only a little discomfort in wearing them.

Wind Raises Hob
The evening before we were to start back to Camp Wilson our company was on guard. A storm came up, the rain poured, and the wind blew a gale. Our tents were perched on a side hill and the wind caught us broadside. The tents flapped and tugged at the stakes. One by one the pins loosened. The hood blew off, it rained in from above and below. The water flowed through the tents. We got up and piled all our belongings on the cots. The wind grew stronger and the tent swayed back and forth and in a moment the tent fell on top of me. I crawled out from under the wreckage and found my way over to Schultz and Noffke's tent. Noffke was snoring while Schultz was looking for one of his shoes that got lost in the water. He finally got his clothes on. We poured the water off of his cot and sat there for hours talking.

Sleep Impossible
"There was no use to try to sleep. The wind roared and everything was wet. It became apparent that it was only a matter of minutes and their tent would go down also. Schultz beat it out in the rain down to the cook tent which was at the lower end of the street. Everything was down. In the wreck he finally found a pick.

Hang to Tent Poles
"When he got back Noffke and myself were hanging on the tent pole. He was out driving stakes for at least an hour before he got the pins to stick. The pins would just go so far and then they would strike rock. The surface was soft and as a result the stakes could not hold. At about 3 in the morning we got the tent to stand up. We were wakened by a camp and get on the road by 5 a. m. At 3:30 a. m. an orderly was brought over to us by brigade headquarters and told us not to awaken the men until 5:15. We lounged about in our wet clothing until then. We heard someone driving stakes all night. Three-fourths of the officers' tents were down. The pup tents withstood the storm better but very few of the men got much rest and everyone was more or less soaked. Before 8 a. m. we were on our way back to Camp Wilson, where we arrived Sunday about 1 p. m.

Week at Camp Wilson
"We spent the next week at Wilson drilling daily and we had only one practice march out of camp. Sunday Schultz, Ray Howland and myself hired an auto. We took in the sights in and around San Antonio. We visited

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ADAM KRONER
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ed the ruins of the old Spanish Missions, passed the boyhood home of Jesse James, took a peek into the hot wells, springs, sanatorium and bathing place where we watched the bathers in the hot sulphur wells, and went through the ostrich and alligator farms. These places are ten miles out of San Antonio.

Dined at Swell Place
"At noon we got into the city again. We had dinner at a high-toned restaurant where all the big bugs feed. We were served in courses and before we were through we had enough dishes set before us to feed a whole company. By the appearance of our car I guess they thought we must be some Wisconsin millionaires. But they didn't mind it a bit; they just charged us accordingly. In the afternoon we autoed about the city and visited the Alamo Mission and Brackenridge park. The Alamo is a large massive stone building which was erected in 1701 by Spanish missionaries. It was used by the Texans as a fort in their fight for independence and it was here where a small band of Texans were overwhelmed by the Mexican hordes under Santa Anna. The place has been set aside as a memorial to its defenders. Brackenridge park is a 300 acre tract. Here is located the public bathhouse and beach. Hundreds were in bathing here—niggers, Mexicans and whites. The park contains a zoo which is as large as that we have in Milwaukee. We returned to Camp Wilson late in the afternoon.

Then to New Braunfels
"Monday morning we started for New Braunfels. We marched fifteen miles that day. Tuesday we marched seventeen miles and got into Landas' park just a mile beyond New Braunfels. This is a neat little city. It has 4,500 inhabitants, 95 per cent being Germans. Landas park is owned by Harry Landas, a millionaire who lives here. It is a beautiful spot. It has a bathing beach that can't be beat, a large pavilion and dance hall and a refreshment stand where you can get a schooner so large that it would make Friese's hair stand on ends. Billy Berg's scoops would look like snits' alongside of these and the beauty is that they sell for only five cents a glass.

Thanks for Tobacco
"The boys wish to thank the Governor's Guard association for the tobacco sent them and they certainly appreciate the good will of the association.

"We can't complain in the least. Our grub is good and there is plenty of it. We have good drinking water and ice to cool it. We have our daily drills and exercises and then again our marches, which at times are tiresome. Yet the men can have no grounds for complaint. On the long hikes they did not carry their rolls.

There is plenty of time off for the men. The trip to Landas park is a sort of outing for the troops. The mornings are taken up with maneuvers and field exercises while in the afternoons and evenings the soldiers are at liberty to go down town, take a swim in the bathing pool or listen to the concerts that are given by the regimental bands in the city parks as well as in Landas park. We all have the inconveniences of camp life. Some enjoy it while others are chronic kickers.

"Wishing yourself and the rest of the members of the Governor's Guard association good luck, I remain,
"Yours very truly,
"HERMAN A. RUPP."

DIES OF BULLET WOUND
MARINETTE, Wis., Sept. 18.—Louis Pasinant was fatally shot in a village saloon in Hermansville, Mich., during a quarrel about the European war.

CALLS WILSON "GREAT JESTER"
NEW YORK, Sept. 18.—United States Senator Sherman of Illinois

issued a statement at Republican headquarters in which he called President Wilson "the great American jester."

A great book that comes from a great thinker—it is a ship of thought, deep-freighted with truth, with beauty, too. It sails the ocean, driven by the winds of heaven, breaking the level sea of life into beauty where it goes, leaving behind it a train of sparkling loveliness, widening as the ship goes on. And what a treasure it brings to every land, scattering the seeds of truth, justice, love, and piety, to bless the world in ages yet to come.—Theodore Parker.

The United States is the only big nation in the world that spends twice as much on education as on all forms of militarism. And the United States has had fewer wars than any other big nation. The best military training is based on a good education and growth in a democratic atmosphere that makes a boy alert and self-reliant. Genuine preparedness consists in intelligence rather than in munitions.

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GUARDSMEN DISMISSED

WASHINGTON, Sept. 18.—Nearly 15,000 National Guardsmen have been discharged by the war department for various causes since the state troops were mustered into the federal service. A statement shows

that Aug. 31, 9,446 members of the guard had been discharged for physical disability, 4,919 because of dependent civil positions and a number for other reasons.

Switzerland has more than 2,000 inns for the accommodation of mountain travelers.

HISTORIC MADISON HOUSE SOLD

MADISON, Wis., Sept. 18.—Dr. C. G. Dwight has purchased for \$20,000 the residence of the late Justice R. M. Bashford. The house, one of the oldest in the city, was Gov. Solomon's residence in civil war days.

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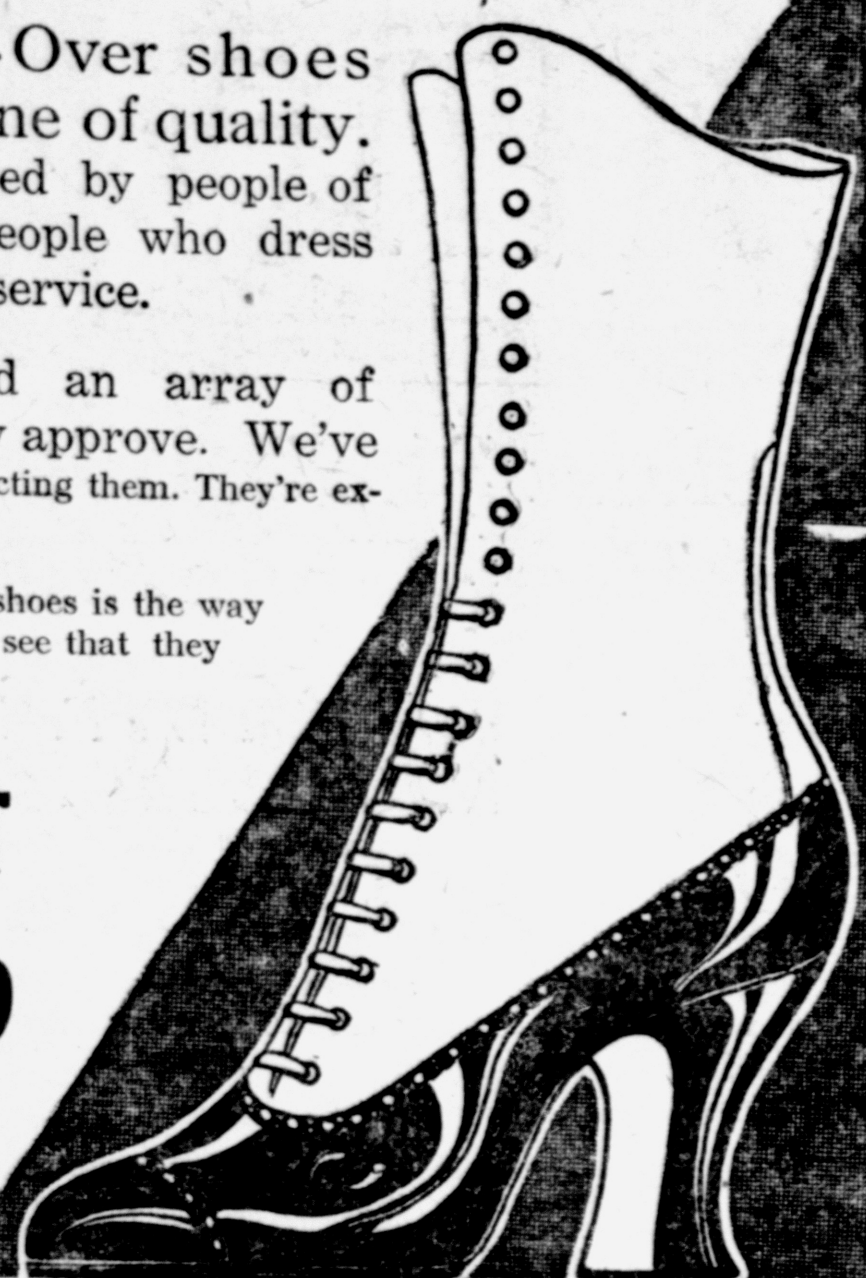
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ITALY WANTS PEACE AFTER AUSTRIAN MENACE IS GONE

Redemption of Trent and Trieste and Possession of Alps Defends Biggest Condition of Rome

By JOHN H. HARTLEY

(United Press Staff Correspondent)

ROME.—(By Mail).—Only an allied peace can satisfy Italy. The war will continue until an allied peace can be obtained. This is today's sentiment in Italian diplomatic circles. It is repeated by King Victor in the field. It is endorsed by the people of the kingdom.

In Austria Italy fights a hated and an hereditary foe. In Germany she opposes an "industrial and commercial menace." The Italians are naturally liberty-loving. This characteristic began their war and will continue it, they declare.

To Italy anything, even the greatest bloodshed and the greatest sacrifices, is preferable to a German domination. "Austrians!" she hisses at the house's socialistic deputies who cry for a change in government. She

frowns on ex-Premier Giolitti's alleged attempts to return to power. Giolitti has been called Italy's peace-at-any-price. War certainly has sobered and hardened the people. It has made sturdy, stubborn patriots of all classes, especially of the women and children.

Wars Against Oppression

Generally Italy wars to save her allies and herself from "oppression." An unselfish allied patriotism seems to have been born of the travail of strife. Particularly she fights to win her own "geographical and marine liberty." As a condition of the allied peace she will press the "correction" of her northern border. She will seek, as she always has sought, the return of her "unredeemed lands," Trent and Trieste. The natural fortifications of the Alps, which are now entirely Austrian territory, must be divided. Italy must have something besides frontier plains and valleys to insure her a peaceful and prosperous life, the almost insurmountable difficulties of her mountain warfare, she asserts, have proven this to her beyond the shadow of a doubt. The "threat" of an armed Austria, looking down upon her, must be forever removed.

End Adriatic Control

In Italian opinion the Austrian control of the Adriatic also should come to an end. Owing to the unevenness of the balance, Italy declares that her Adriatic commerce

has amounted to a practical nothing. On the other hand, Austria, it is asserted, has thrived on her unjust control and prevented fair competition.

Under the spur of such possessions Italy dreams that much of the power of old Rome would return to her. Something of the spirit of that ancient mistress of the world has lately been born again in her. It is showing itself in a thousand and one plans, suddenly formulated and aimed at the acquisition of industrial, commercial and artistic greatness.

The presence of the Pope in Rome apparently has done little to complicate the Italian situation. Benedict has made at least one direct plea and not a few indirect pleas for a general peace. His efforts have been diplomatically resisted by all the allies, including Italy. The peaceard inquiries of the Holy Father, it is said, always meet with a unanimous allied response. "We are ready for peace, but only for an allied peace," the allies invariably are reported to reply. The Italian papers generally give but little if any space to the Pope's peaceard utterances. Consequently they do not come into the constant thought of the people. The possibility of any marked effect is therefore eliminated.

However, the general belief here is that Germany is seeking to effect peace through the Holy Father. Papal representatives to the Central Powers are said to have laid the conditions of a pax Germanica before His Holiness. The conditions, it is rumored, were felt to be unsatisfactory to the allies on the face. But, as the story goes, the Vatican regarded them as a starting point. Many believe that they invited President Wilson's recent academic discussions on peace and the apparent interest of the King of Spain.

See German Peace Plea

Italians generally view the alleged performance as a show of German weakness and an enemy plea for an early peace. These can be the necessary preliminary steps that possibly may reach peace, it is admitted. The bail, however, can be and probably will be on the roll for many months. It is reminded that it is on the roll at all, comes the constant Italian repetition, it is on the roll not toward a pax Germanica but toward a stable allied peace.

The war will end? Italian speculation gives the question many answers. The Vatican, it is felt, is making a stupendous effort to end the strife before winter. The Pope, it is rumored, has not given up hope of accomplishing his purpose. The military apparently does not look for final triumph before 1918. The people guess everything, ranging from five more months to more years. The Italian government, however does not speculate. It leaves that to the others. In the meantime it prepares by hard and constant, but patriotic labor for an indefinite period of fighting.

Some music hath charms to incite a man to start a rough house.

FRENCHMAN PARTS WITH HIS WEALTH AND HELPS NATION

People Take Pride in Boasting of Financial Aid They Have Made the Government

SPELLS CONFIDENCE

Was Great Test When Families Parted with Little Hoards of Heirloom Gold

BY HENRY WOOD

(United Press Staff Correspondent.) PARIS.—(By Mail).—"There is not a single piece of gold to be found in my house today."

With eyes flashing pride and voice vibrating with enthusiasm these words were pronounced to me by Professor Alcide Betrine of No. 166 Boulevard Montparnasse. I picked him at random to tell me something of the spirit of the French people after two years of war.

Professor Betrine has grown gray in the public school service of France. He is entitled to retire on a pension but he won't do it while the war lasts. Professor Betrine is proud to be able to say:

"For the first time in my life and in generations in the history of my family there is not a single gold piece to be found in my house today. I have turned it all in to the Bank of France for the national defense."

The boast of Professor Betrine today is the boast of practically every family in France. Within the last year the French voluntarily have exchanged for flimsy French banknotes over \$325,000,000 in gold. This stream of gold has been flowing for a year and is still flowing at from \$1,000,000 to \$1,500,000 a week. Such is the spirit of the French after two years of war.

"In every French family there are two great passions—the only son and the little family hoard of gold."

It is the "little hoard of gold" on which every French household is built. Gold, in the popular French conception, is the one real, tangible thing in life on which anyone under any circumstances, can always count. It is the family's life, death, accident, health, marriage and disaster insurance in one.

Even if the "Boches" had actually reached Paris, the average Frenchman would have known he could still count on his gold to help him out.

This confidence in gold has reached in France, among the masses the status almost of a fetish. In thousands of families the gold has passed from generation to generation and been added to until it has taken on the additional sentimental value of a most highly prized heirloom. The average Frenchman figures his future and that of his family on his gold reserve.

Request, Not Command

Knowing all this, the government did not hesitate to ask for it. But it asked, it did not command. It knew that however much the gold meant to its sons and daughters, "La Patrie" meant much more.

The average French family man is inclined to be rather hard headed, calculating, money-seeing and saving. "Hard-headed thrift" might easily pass as the motto in French family life.

Early in the war there was published in France and elsewhere an article of presumed German origin explaining why the war with France would not last long.

The French common people, it asserted, would never permit the war to reach a point where it would effect either their regular sources of income or the amount of money they might already have saved. That was one of the things the Germans counted on for a quick, short campaign in France before turning to smite Russia.

Germany was mistaken as in the Irish rebellion. Canadian secession and Mohammedan uprising in English colonies. The French population has placed patriotism before pocket books.

Was Great Test

The greatest test that could be applied to the French people after they had parted with their sons was to ask them to part without a sou of recompense or premium, with their little family hoard of gold.

This is far from telling all the story of the possibilities of French thrift. It has enabled them to do far more than give the government gold. The French people have also subscribed some \$3,000,000,000 to French thrift—coupled necessarily with French spirit—has furnished France with the financial sinews for prosecuting the war. Parting with the gold was purely a matter of patriotic sentiment. Subscribing to the loan was a matter of careful investment. Yet this thrifty investment speaks perhaps more for the spirit of the French people than did the parting with the gold, for the loan subscription spelled in great big capital letters the one word CONFIDENCE in the financial stability of the French government and in its ability to win the war.

Asks Loan of Securities

Now a final test is being made of the spirit of the French people. Minister of Finances Ribot has just estimated that there are being held in France no less than \$12,000,000,000 of foreign bonds and securities. These would be of the most supreme value to France in enabling her to offer them as security for her large purchase of war and other material in foreign countries, without diminishing her gold reserve and without suffering the terrible rate of exchange. It is nearly 20 per cent in the United States—caused by the disproportion of her importations over her exports.

So France has asked—not ordered as has been necessary in England—her people to loan her these \$120,-



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000,000,000 of foreign securities until after the war. The response has been the same as to the request for gold and for war subscriptions.

The Bank of France has been obliged to open special bureaux in all principal cities and villages of France to receive these securities and so great is the number turned in and so fast have they come, that the Bank of France, at the moment this article is being written, is unable to give any figures on the amount up to date. It estimates that it will receive \$120,000,000,000 worth.

Many a business man has been swamped by the weight of his dignity.

TAKES WEST INDIES POSITION

SHEBOYGAN, Wis., Sept. 18.—G. C. Peterson, county highway commissioner, has resigned to take the position of manager of a railroad in Santo Domingo, West Indies. He was a civil engineer on the Panama canal.

Collier's discovered this gem in an out-of-the-way place in a newspaper, and enriches the world by starting it on a larger circulation. It is a sunbeam linked to a heart throb and reminds us that in our daily walk we are responsible for the "betweens" of all those with whom we come in personal contact. "The first face the

baby sees in this world is full of kindness, and the last to bend over him when he is old and dying is full of pitying tenderness. It is the faces he sees in between that cause him all his trouble."

In the frontier days a large percentage of the men who walked the streets of the cattle or mining towns went prepared for war—trouble. The small minority did not carry guns. Anybody who has ever read the story of the wild days of the west will recall that the graves in the hill cemetery were invariably filled by the "killers." The unarmed minority usually died in bed.

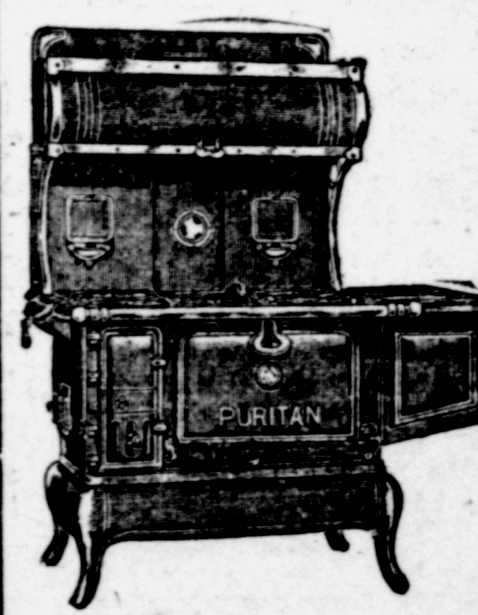


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We have many new Novelty
Boots in stock and new ones
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Women's Novelty Lace Boots, in
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pagne tops, plain toe models, welt
soles and leather heels. Lace Boots
with black kid vamp
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Women's brown 8 inch Lace Boot,
plain toe model, leather heel and
McKay sewed soles, at pair \$5.00

Women's Patent Colt and dull Kid
Button or Lace Boots, with dull tops,
plain toe model, leather heels and
welt sewed soles, at \$4.00

Misses' Patent Colt and dull Calf
Button Shoes, either plain toe or tip
model, with dull calf or black cloth
tops, sizes 11 1/2 to 2, widths C and
D, at per \$2.50

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11, widths D and E, per pair \$2.25

We also have a complete line of
Boys' and Little Men's Shoes, rang-
ing in price from \$1.50 up to \$3.50.
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ton Shoes, with patent leather tip,
sizes 8 1/2 to 11, \$1.50

Sizes 11 1/2 to 2, per pair \$1.75



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Wednesday, Sept. 20th Begins the Stateliest Show this 36 Year Old Public Service Institution Has Ever Undertaken

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Today When We Announce For Our Garment Department OUR ANNUAL

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Conditions in this country and abroad have been so un-
usual that we have used extreme care in selecting these
garments. Women's ideals are matters of fact in our
showing of new Fall Coats and Suits.

But we are absolutely confident that we have selected
the right garments. We are willing to leave it to your
judgment. It is your judgment that decides the matter.
We have used our best efforts. You know what they
have been in the past. We believe your opinion will coin-
cide with ours. With a full understanding of our own
responsibility in offering you these garments which we
so fully recommend we invite you to this formal Fall
opening, knowing that we have the apparel which will
appeal to you, and which will afford you entire satis-
faction.

Prices range in Women's Suits. \$12.50 up to \$97.50

Prices range in Women's Coats. \$11.75 up to \$105.00

SPECIAL FOR THIS OPENING we offer an excep-
tionally well made and good looking SUIT made in
the latest model, material of an all wool American
poplin, button trimmed; has a guaranteed satin lin-
ing. Price for opening week \$23.50

Another Suit of a beautiful quality of chiffon broadcloth, hand-
somely tailored, lined with satin. Color burgundy, velvet collar, pleated skirt, for opening week. \$37.50

WOMEN'S COATS—Our Women's Coat line is more handsome and much
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all the different kinds of materials, in a wide range of colors, and in all
sizes up to 52 bust measure. Prices range from \$11.75 up to \$105.00

FURS—Our fur stock is complete, showing a wide range of styles, in
Muffs and Neck Pieces, made of mink, seal, fox, skunk, beaver, marmot,
raccoon and almost every conceivable animal, priced from the lowest to
the highest, varying according to the grade of fur.

NEW FALL WAISTS—Are here in every conceivable material and
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Boys' Clothing Dept.

Our Boys' Clothing Department
is well stocked, and can take
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New Fall Suits, in the new pinch
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pockets, and with two pairs of pants
that are full cut and lined through-
out, sizes 6 to 17 years. These are all
wool suits and there is a variety of
patterns in blue serges, dark gray
and brown mixtures. Prices ranging
from

\$4.95 up to \$10.00

Boys' dark gray and wood brown col-
ored Corduroy Knickerbockers, with
either small or large wale, full cut
and roomy, made with tunnel belt
loops, sizes 7 to 18 years. Prices
ranging per pair from

85c up to \$2.00

Boys' Tapeless Blouses, in a variety
of patterns, with either high military
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terns, sizes 6 1/2 to 7, at 50c

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Our stock of Fall Underwear and
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Underwear of every style and mater-
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We are sole agents for the celebra-
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Grand Millinery Opening

Wednesday, Thursday,
Friday



You are cordially invited to
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Hats designed by Kurzman, Moorhead
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fashion demands it, you will surely find it here, and at the right price. We especially invite you to shop here. Our sales-
force considers it a pleasure to show you the new styles.

THE NEW FALL SILKS

New Plaid and Stripe Silks—Taffeta
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Belding's Tearless Satins—This fa-
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dium heavy weight wool material,
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inches wide, per yard \$2.98

Heavy Coating Wool Plaids—The
fashion world demands them this
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several smart color combinations, 54
inches wide, per yard \$2.50

Fine Chiffon Broadcloths—These fine chif-
fon weight broadcloths will fill every re-
quirement for a high class tailored suit or
dress. Water spot proof, sponged and
shrunk, full line of fall colors, also
black, 54 inches wide, yard \$2.50

NEW SILK VELVETS

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are shown in an endless variety of
colors. They are in demand for dress
trimmings, as well as millinery uses,
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42 inch Silk Chiffon Velvets—Silk
Chiffon Velvets will be more in de-
mand for this coming fall season
than ever before. Come and see the
rich, dull autumn colors, 42 inches
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36 inch Costume Velveteens—These
imported costume velveteens make
stylish fall suits and long coats. They
are twill back and fast pile, shown in
staple fall colors and black, 36 inches
wide, at per yard \$2.50

NEW DRESS TRIMMINGS

New Opal and Spangle Trimmings—Dress
Trimmings in opal, beaded and spangle ef-
fects will be largely in vogue this season
for party and evening dresses; also motifs
will be worn. We have a large stock of
these in all widths and styles, per yard 25c to \$5.50

New Metal Trimmings—Shown in
all staple widths of edgings and
bandings, in gold and silver color,
price per yard 50c to \$2.00

New Corsage Trimmings—Corsage
Bouquet Roses, made of silk; also
Metal Roses in gold and silver, will
be used for trimming evening
gowns. Priced at each \$1 to \$1.50

NEW SILK LACES

Silk Net Laces—Silk Laces for trimming
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We are showing them in widths from 3 to
8 inches wide, in ivory and black, also
black and white ef-
fects. Price, yard 50c to \$1.25

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They are full two yards wide, and are
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Silk Lace Allovers—Our new fall
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Many styles for your choosing, price
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Your Attire.

We can offer you a good quality Cape or
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We have a very nicely finished two clasp
round over seam Glove, in black or white,
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Better quality Kid Gloves at \$1.75 and \$2

Silk Gloves will be popular on account of
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well known makes, such as Ivanhoe and
Kayser brands.

New Fall Neckwear Just Arrived

Dainty embroidered things, in the shape of
Capes and Fichus. Net is the most favored
material for this fall, although some are
of broadcloth and organdie. Some are
edged with ruffles and pleatings; all are
beautiful. Prices 25c up to \$2.25

RIBBONS—Received new fancy and
plain Ribbons. We have the real narrow,
fancy stripes and colored gros-grains,
some with silver edges, also a large stock
of wide Fancies, at yard 19c

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Hand with Orthodox Priests
in Slavs' Governing
Body

WHOLE LAND ORGANIZED

Russian Zemstvo Union, 80
Per Cent of Whose Mem-
bers Are Peasants,
Aid Army

By WILLIAM PHILIP SIMMS
United Press Staff Correspondent
PETROGRAD. — (By Mail.) —
Twenty-six months of war has made
new country of Russia. The spirit
of the people has changed. Confirmed
pessimists admit that the war has
worked a miracle.

Two years ago, when fighting began,
Russia like England and France,
was torn by internal dissension. Her
many races were at odds. A strike
of serious proportions was on. Things
looked dark for the Empire.

Russia today is more united than
she ever had been. She is better
organized. Every city and town in
the land belongs to a municipal union
to aid the nation. Every village and
rural district has joined a second
and similar organization. In all Rus-
sia, including Siberia, there is scarcely
a single peasant not working for
the army of some public good.

Up to August, 1914, of nearly 200
million Russian subjects few had
taken direct part in any public or
national work. They are today nearly
all doing their bit. This fact is
lending a brand new tone to the Em-
pire.

War Probably Blessing
A war of gigantic proportions
makes or breaks a participant. For
Russia this one promises to be a
blessing in disguise, according to
notoriously conservative thinkers
here who believe they see in the war-
time spirit of the public the commence-
ment of unprecedented develop-
ments.

The Russian Duma is composed of
Princes and Peasants, millowners and
workmen, college professors and
farmers, Jews, Gentiles, Poles, Arme-
nians, Cossacks, Orthodox priests
and free thinkers, so mixed a body
with such varied interests that peo-
ple have said it never could do valu-
able work because it never could
agree. Here is what happened in the
Duma when the war broke out:

On August 8, a week after hostil-
ties began, the two houses met at
the Winter Palace of the Czar. The
Emperor made a short speech, say-
ing:

"I am persuaded that all of you
will be in your place to assist me to
support the test, and that all begin-
ning with myself, will do their duty.
Great is the God of the Russian
Fatherland."

Army's Interest First
A great cheer went up from the
Duma. One by one party leaders
came forward and pledged themselves
to work for the common good. Even
Tsurikivitch, the implacable leader
of the anti-semites, abandoned his
principles. Today the Duma places
the army's interests first.

"This is no time to squabble over
reforms," Radzianko, the Duma's
president replied when I asked him
if any important reform bills were on
the present session's program. And
again, when I asked him why such
short sessions and long recesses, he
said:

"Duma members are mostly farm-
ers. We can do more good for the
army plowing than we can talking."
Duma Highly Representative
The Russian Duma is probably the
most really representative body of
the sort in the world and when its
president said that, he was not mere-
ly sounding the phrase. It was evi-
dent that he was in earnest. Every
Duma member with whom I talked
said the same thing.

To take advantage of Russia's
situation and use it to force through
even cherished reforms, appealed to
Dumaites as unfair. They felt that
rows in the Duma would weaken the
nation in her fight for life.

Citizens organizations for aiding
Russia to make war have made it
possible for millions to take part in
public work who until now never
knew what such work was like. This
is boosting the spirit of the country
wonderfully.

Imagine every county of every state
in the United States having a council
of representative citizens—farmers,
landowners, villagers. Now if every
one of these organizations joined in
a single body to help the American
army do its work, such an organiza-
tion would be similar to the All-Rus-
sian Zemstvo Union, only—there are
nearly 200 million Russians, 80 per
cent are peasants and thus either
directly or indirectly interested in
Zemstvo work.

Nation Organized
Imagine again every city council or
board of aldermen in the United
States forming one association to aid
the army. This body would be like
the All-Russian Municipality Union,
which brings city dwellers into pub-
lic work.

Lastly, if American country folks
and city people should join hands by
means of a joint board to control
things and prevent overlappings, the
result would be what the Russians
have achieved in their central com-
mittee of members chosen by the
All-Russian Zemstvo Union and by
the All-Russian Municipality Union.

There is another group of citizen
workers called the War Industry
committee. This committee co-ordinat-
es the work of the middle sized
down to the tiniest shops capable
of manufacturing munitions. With
the big works the government can
work directly, but not so with the
May ones scattered over the Empire.

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New Fall Dress Goods, Imported and Domestic
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We have just received our Fall importation of Ma-
deria Hand Embroidered Linens direct from
the Maderia Islands. This purchase was placed
last year when prices were 50 per cent less
than they are today. We give you the advan-
tage of this purchase in the prices we
quote you on these goods.

The War Industry committee does
this.

Automatically the war has worked
wonders for Russia. The great Rus-
sian word—"nichevo"—"what does
it matter?"—is fast becoming obso-
lete. Labor for the common good has
put the Russian in a very cheerful
frame of mind and things do matter
a lot with him. He has greater con-
fidence in himself. He is more in-
dependent.

Russia has been accused of being
too Oriental. If this charge was true,
this also can be taken as true: She
is moving further westward every
day.

FORMALITIES OF PEACE TREATIES

LONDON, Aug. 18.—When the
present great conflict in Europe
comes to an end, a treaty of peace
will be signed, sealed and delivered
as between the various belligerents.
This will be a most imposing docu-
ment, written by hand throughout,
sealed with many seals and bound
about with green silk ribbon.

Following the usual custom, each
copy of the treaty will begin with
the words, "In the Name of the Most

Holy and Undivided Trinity." Should
however, Turkey be one of the sig-
natory Powers, as seems probable,
this formula will be altered to "In
the Name of Allah the Almighty
God," in the copy allotted to her.

At least as many original copies as
there are signatory powers will be
signed and sealed, while several cer-
tified copies will be signed, but not
sealed, for the sake of convenience.
The original copies will be securely
locked up in the state archives of the
different countries, while the certi-
fied copies will be used for printing
from and for reference.

Peace treaties are not written
the words, "In the Name of the Most

like ordinary documents. They are
written in parallel columns, one in
English, the next in French, the next
in Italian, German, Russian and so
on, according to the number of lan-
guages spoken by the people of the
signatory Powers. The text of each
of these columns is an exact transla-
tion of the text of all the other col-
umns, and the utmost pains are taken
in the selection of words that will
convey identical shades of meaning.

The monarchs of the signatory
powers don't affix their signatures
into by them. This formality is
carried out by specially accredited
peace commissioners.

PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS MEET

NEW YORK, Sept. 18.—Public ac-
countants from nearly every commer-
cial center of the country are here
in attendance on the annual meet-
ing of the American Association of Pub-
lic Accountants. The delegates rep-
resent twenty-six state societies and
in the course of the sessions address-
es will be delivered by Charles S.
Hamlin, governor of the federal re-
serve board, and Dr. John H. Finley,
state commissioner of education. The
officers in charge of the meeting are
President J. Porter Joplin of Chicago,
Secretary A. F. Richardson of New

York, and Treasurer Carl H. Nau of
Cleveland.

CLAIM CENSUS ROLL PADDED

RIO DE JANEIRO, Brazil, Sept.
18.—The Brazilian government has
just issued an official estimate plac-
ing the country's population at 26
million, 542 thousand souls. Experts
here agree that this is all right up to
about 12 millions. Beyond that point
they say the estimate includes the
Indian inhabitants of a vast interior
region which no white man has ever
seen. Consequently they declare that
14,542,000 of the estimate is a mere
wildcat guess.



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in Black and Tan, in all the newest shapes.*

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NEW ALBIN GIRLS PICNIC IN MEMORY OF VACATION DAYS

NEW ALBIN, Iowa.—(Special.)—Friday afternoon a select number of high school girls took their baskets, heavy with goodies, to the stone quarry. The purpose of the event was to close the "good time season," to begin a season of hard work.

Teachers Arrive
Miss Florin Merryfield, principal of the high school, and Miss Ann Hall, assistant principal, arrived on Friday. This is Miss Merryfield's first year in New Albin. Miss Hall taught here last year and received a warm welcome by all her old pupils.

Local and Personal
Miss Pearl and Carrie Martin returned home from La Crosse Friday. Since Friday evening M. J. Cava-

naugh has resumed his smile of former times.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Fitch of Lansing spent Friday evening with Mrs. Fitch's parents in this city.

Mrs. F. May and Mrs. N. Smith were callers in La Crosse Friday.

Mrs. Hardin Jarvis was taken suddenly ill on the afternoon of the 15th and is still under the physician's care.

Miss Carpenter, the first intermediate teacher, arrived here Saturday.

Rev. and Mrs. Smith spent Sunday in Guttenberg, leaving their daughter Beatrice with Grandma May.

Miss Mary Dolan returned Saturday after a visit with her aunt of La Crosse.

Irvin Thompson left here Saturday for a delightful visit in La Crosse.

Mike Garvey of Minneapolis came to New Albin Saturday for the purpose of taking his mother home with him.

Mrs. Haines and children returned on the 16th from a visit in Caledonia.

Week Financial

Bank Statement

NEW YORK, Sept. 18.—The weekly bank statement Saturday showed the following changes:
Surplus, increased \$19,146,880.
Loans, decreased \$4,244,000.

Reserve in own vaults, increased \$26,768,000.

Reserve in federal reserve banks, decreased \$4,244,000.

Reserve in other depositories, decreased \$1,193,000.

Net demand deposits, increased \$10,175,000.

Circulation, increased \$347,000.

Net time deposits, increased \$169,000.

Aggregate reserve, \$648,136,000.

NEW YORK, Sept. 18.—The New York Evening Sun financial review Saturday said: Notwithstanding a heavy volume of realizing liquidation in today's brief session, the movement of prices in the best part of two hours of trading was in the direction of higher levels, reactions as a rule being small and in no way suggesting a movement on the part of substantial holders to turn over their accounts in the expectation of the development of sustained copper quotations. To a great extent speculative interest centered upon the railroad shares, many of which were bought in volume, especially Union Pacific, St. Paul, Reading, New York Central and Erie.

Union Pacific sold at a new high record for the year, the movement accompanying reports of buying by large operators who believed the time ripe for a wider operation not only in this particular issue, but in all departments of the railroad list.

In certain parts of the market evidence of bear pressure was presented, as, for instance, in some of the copper and war shares which had been strong features in preceding days of the week, while there was heavy selling also in United States Steel, the demand for which, however, not only prevented any important reaction from its early record but subsequently carried it to a new high at \$108.

Crucible was strong also.

PRIVATE BANKER GIVES UP

CHICAGO, Sept. 18.—Michael Michniuk, president of the private bank which collapsed here Thursday, surrendered at the office of the state's attorney here Saturday. Depositors lost approximately \$45,000.

TO AID IN MEET

BELOIT, Wis., Sept. 18.—A number of prominent local churchmen will speak at the seventy-fifth annual meeting of the Wisconsin Congregational association to be held in Racine Oct. 3, 4 and 5.

PARTY ESCAPES INJURY

SHEBOYGAN, Wis., Sept. 18.—Miss Olive Grotenhuis of this city and a party of friends narrowly escaped injury when their automobile crashed into a Milwaukee Northern car at Cedar Grove.

Why should any one want to see himself as others see him? They might be prejudiced.—Toledo Blade.

QUIT MEAT WHEN KIDNEYS BOTHER

Take a glass of Salts if your Back hurts or Bladder troubles you.

No man or woman who eats meat regularly can make a mistake by flushing the kidneys occasionally, says a well-known authority. Meat forms uric acid which excites the kidneys, they become overworked from the strain, get sluggish and fail to filter the waste and poisons from the blood, then we get sick. Nearly all rheumatism, headaches, liver trouble, nervousness, dizziness, sleeplessness and urinary disorders come from sluggish kidneys.

The moment you feel a dull ache in the kidneys or your back hurts or if the urine is cloudy, offensive, full of sediment, irregular of passage or attended by a sensation of scalding, stop eating meat and get about four ounces of Jad Salts from any pharmacy; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast and in a few days your kidneys will act fine. This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to flush and stimulate the kidneys, also to neutralize the acids in urine so it no longer causes irritation, thus ending bladder weakness.

Jad Salts is inexpensive and cannot injure; makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink which everyone should take now and then to keep the kidneys clean and active and the blood pure, thereby avoiding serious kidney complications.

MRS. CUNNINGHAM DIES SUDDENLY AT VIROQUA HOME

Severe Attack of Asthma Takes
Life of Woman Well Known
in Viroqua and Vernon
County

VIROQUA, Wis.—(Special.)—The sudden death of Mrs. George Cunningham of this city, occurred at her home Friday evening, following a severe attack of asthma. Mrs. Cunningham who was nearly fifty years of age, was well-known in Viroqua and Vernon county, having spent most of her life here. She is survived by a husband and a large family of children.

The ball games played here during the fair were unusually fast. Viroqua and Viola crossed bats Thursday. The game resulted in a score of 1 to 0 in favor of Viola. Friday's game between La Farge and Soldiers' Grove, the latter won by a score of 2 to 0. Saturday Gays Mills and Ontario played, Ontario winning with a score of 7 to 3.

The football game Friday between Cashton and La Farge high school teams was won by La Farge.

Local and Personal
Mrs. Charles Shannon and baby of Tonah were visitors at the Jergen Moen home in this city Thursday and Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Brye and daughter Louise of La Crosse were week end visitors at the Pearly Brye and Chris Peterson homes.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Steenberg of Retreat spent at latter part of the week at the Silas Foster home in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Hill of La Farge were guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Hill of this city during the week.

Miss Maud Morgan of Retreat spent the latter part of the week with her parents in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. James Standford have had as their guests during the week, Mr. and Mrs. Alba Standford and Mr. and Mrs. Harley Neefe and children, all of La Farge.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Shannon of Westby were guests of the latter's aunts Mrs. Lloyd Hall and Mrs. J. Sherrick of this city the latter part of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Johnson of Retreat spent Saturday and Sunday with the former's brother Leslie Johnson and family of this city.

Mrs. Henry Lawrence and grandson Richard Lawrence of Viola were guests of the former's son Paul Lawrence and family during the week.

L. E. Eganor of Woodstock was a Viroqua business caller Friday.

Miss Gladys Neefe of La Farge was the guest of Viroqua friends the latter part of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Griffin of Viola were in the city Friday, the guests of relatives.

Miss Irene Kenyon of Dilly who has been the guest of La Crosse relatives, visited friends here Friday enroute to her home.

PAINTER ALDERMAN RESIGNS

MILWAUKEE, Sept. 18.—Alderman Carl Minkley, "the painter alderman," resigned his membership in the common council Saturday. Minkley was a member of the state assembly two years ago and made his living while at Madison attending the legislative sessions, by painting houses.

MAGGIE CLINE ONLY "32"

RED BANK, N. J.—Maggie Cline's secret is out. She is 32 "not one day older." She indignantly told justice so when he queried her. The Irish prima donna was in court charged with violation of traffic laws.

BULLET IS REMOVED

SUPERIOR, Wis., Sept. 18.—A small rifle bullet, lodged in the head of Mrs. John F. Austin for three years, was removed in Minneapolis.

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You are cordially invited to inspect our
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We are now ready to sell you wool and fleeced Hosiery and Underwear for Fall and Winter.

RUSSIANS RESUME GALICIAN DRIVE

BERLIN, Sept. 18.—Heavy offensive operations by the Russians have been in progress along large sections of the front in Russia and Galicia, the war office announced on Sunday, the Teutonic forces holding their ground all along the line except in the sector where troops of Archduke Charles Francis, resisting the Russian advance toward Halicz, were forced back for a short distance.

The Russians suffered extremely heavy losses in their attacks, particularly in assaults delivered along a front of nearly thirteen miles in the vicinity of Vaturze, west of Vladimir-Volynski, which failed completely. Attacks between the Zerth and the Stipra north of Zborow also broke down, and a Russian attempt to advance north of Stanislaw was frustrated. Storming attacks against

Teutonic positions in the Carpathians were fruitless.

The Rumanian advance in Transylvania is continuing, says the statement which, in reporting on happenings along the Macedonian front, announces that the Greek seaport of Kavala is being bombarded by entente warships.

EIGHT HURT IN SIDE SWIPE

NEW YORK, Sept. 18.—Eight persons were injured, one seriously, and many others shaken up when Pennsylvania passenger train No. 115, bound for New York, was struck by an electric switch engine of the Long Island railroad Saturday just as the passenger train was entering the Hudson River tunnel.

THREATENED BY TETANUS

MERINETTE, Wis., Sept. 18.—Mrs. M. J. Gendron of the town of Wausaukee is suffering from tetanus and is not expected to live. The disease was caused by infected toe.



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PRISONERS WELL TREATED

BERLIN, Wis., Sept. 18.—Conditions among German prisoners of war interned in Switzerland are satisfactory, according to Maj.-Gen. Friedrich, who recently made a visit to the camps, says the Overseas News agency.

REV. A. A. EWING GOES EAST

MADISON, Wis., Sept. 18.—The Rev. A. A. Ewing, for ten years pastor of Grace Episcopal church here, has accepted a charge at Newcastle, Del., and is on his way east. Before coming to Madison he was connected with St. Stephen's church, Milwaukee.

Familiar Noise

Here's a true Zeppelin war story: An octogenarian who is in full health and somewhat deaf was in bed when a bomb burst not far from his house. A son approached him, and, finding him wide awake, feared he would be unduly alarmed, and asked: "Did you hear a noise?" "The old man looked up with wide eyes. 'I should think I did,'" he exclaimed, with irritation. "What a time of night to be taking in coal."

I. C. G. KNOCKS OUT
STATE FAIR LIMIT
AND RATE POWERS

Two-cent Law Is Hard Hit by
Recent Decisions of
Federal Regu-
lators

PROTECTS RAILROADS

Rule That State Rates Giving
Discrimination to Cities
Must Be Raised to
Inter-state Level

MADISON, Wis., Sept. 18.—Wisconsin's two-cent passenger fare law as well as the law giving the state railroad commission authority to fix freight rates are both hard hit by two of the most important decisions ever handed down by the Interstate Commerce Commission. This startling fact was discovered when copies of these decisions were received by the railroad commission. The first one, dealing with passenger fares, is No. 8983, entitled the Business Men's League of St. Louis vs. the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe Railway company. The freight rate case is known as the Missouri River-Nebraska cases. Without going into an extended analysis of either of these decisions the following can be stated on the authority of a state official who desires, however, that his name be not used. He said, "This means (referring to the passenger fare case) that wherever the state passenger fare is lower than the rate fixed by the Interstate Commerce Commission, for interstate journeys, and causes a discrimination against any cities outside of the state, that the Interstate Commerce Commission the passenger fares for journeys in order to remove that discrimination may compel the railroad to raise wholly within the state to the level of fares fixed by the Interstate Commerce Commission, which in Wisconsin is 2.4 cents a mile. The passenger rate of two cents a mile is fixed in Illinois by law as in Wisconsin. The Interstate Commerce Commission holds, however, that where this statute brings about discrimination against interstate travel the state law must give way to the federal power. In the decision it was shown, for instance, that the rate of fare between East St. Louis, Ill., and Plainview, Ill., was 94c, while the fare from St. Louis, Mo., just across the river from East St. Louis, to Plainview, Ill., was \$1.30. It was also shown that the fare between St. Louis and Chicago is now \$7.50,

while the fare between East St. Louis and Chicago has been \$5.62 for about nine years. As a consequence of this disparity in fares large numbers of passengers from St. Louis to Illinois points purchased from St. Louis to East St. Louis for 25c and there buy tickets from East St. Louis to points in Illinois at the two-cent fare which is lower than the interstate fare.

In the Missouri River cases the Nebraska Commission after years of study fixed the freight rates which it deemed proper for all freight traffic between points wholly in the state of Nebraska. There had long existed an adjustment of inter-state rates from points like Council Bluffs, Sioux City, St. Joseph and Kansas City just outside Nebraska to points in the state of Nebraska. The inter-state relation and adjustment was destroyed by the order of the Nebraska commission fixing rates between points in Nebraska like Omaha and Lincoln and all other points in Nebraska. The Interstate Commerce Commission found that this would bring about discrimination against interstate commerce. It fixed a maximum distance tariff of its own much higher than the Nebraska tariff and in effect told the railroads that they might use this tariff for all freight between Omaha, Lincoln and eleven other principal cities in Nebraska. As this involved 85 per cent of all the purely state traffic the effect of the order will be if approved by the United States Supreme court, that the Interstate Commerce Commission has fixed the state rate for 85 per cent of all state traffic in Nebraska. This decision is based on what is known as the Shreveport case decided by the Supreme court of the United States a year or two ago. The court in its decision held that the Interstate Commerce Commission had the power to make such adjustments in freight rates. No case relating to passenger fares has as yet been taken to the Supreme court but it decided similarly it would mean that Wisconsin's two-cent fare law had lost a great proportion of its effect.

STEPS FROM CAR; KILLED

SHERBOYGAN, Wis., Sept. 18.—Anton S. Polyar, stepped off an interurban car at Sherboyan Falls just before it stopped, fell and struck his head on a rail and died six hours later.

FORMER STATE OFFICIAL DIES

WAUSAU, Wis., Sept. 18.—W. H. Mylrea, 63, state attorney general from 1895 to 1899, and former secretary of the Wisconsin Advancement association, died recently. He was connected with large lumbering interests.

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Fall Opening

Women's Dress Problems can all be easily solved at this store. No matter what you are in need of, Silks, Worsted or other dress fabrics, Underwear or attractive hosiery, corsets or neckwear, gloves, belts, handbags, millinery or anything to wear, you'll find here just the style and quality you want. Big values in every instance. Everybody is cordially invited to come and see the new goods.

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Your underwear and hosiery problems can easily be solved here, as we only carry the best and reliable makes.

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Everything new in leather Handbags and Purses, priced from

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The Corsets and Brassieres which we sell and guarantee are winning more customers to our Corset section every day. Come in and see the new models in Parisette, Nemo, G-D Justrite, P. N. and Warner's. We have a large selection of models and can guarantee a perfect fit for all figures.

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An attractive showing of choice Neckwear.



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Would it not tempt you to view a collection of hundreds of charming chapeaux, embodying all that is new and beautiful in Parisian ideas? And these hats, excellent in quality, chic in style and well made are irresistibly priced.

REPUBLICAN PARTY
IS BADGER CHILD

Wisconsin Gave Birth to G. O.
P. at Ripon on March 20,
1854—To Fight
Slavery

HAD GREELEY SUPPORT

Famous Editor Backed New
Party and Suggested
Its Present
Name

BY FREDERICK MERK.

Wisconsin has the distinction of having given birth to one of the two great political parties that are today entering upon their campaign to control the affairs of our state and nation. At Ripon in Fond du Lac county on March 20, 1854, the republican party was born.

Anti-Slavery

The causes leading to the origin of this organization were, it is hardly necessary to observe, national in scope. Progressive thinkers throughout the North were profoundly dissatisfied with the conduct of both Whig and Democrat leaders. For years the slave-holding states had been permitted to grow in political power. The notorious Kansas-Nebraska bill, in which leaders of both parties concurred, was about to pass congress, thereby throwing open the territories of the United States to the institution of human bondage. There seemed to be no course to pursue, if slavery was to be checked, but to attempt a new political organization. Wisconsin initiated the movement—the result in the west was less entrenched than it was in the east, and the expressions of public opinion were for that reason more spontaneous.

Ripon, where the new party came into being, was a center of abolition and agitation. There, as early as February 29, 1853, a meeting of protest was held against the passage of the Nebraska bill. "The passage of this bill, if passed," resolved the Riponites, "will be the call to arms of a great Northern party, such as the country has hitherto not seen, composed of Whigs, Democrats, and Free Soilers; every man with a heart in him united under the single banner cry of Repeal."

This meeting was followed a few weeks later by a second. "The Nebraska bill, a bill expressly intend-

Modern Tendency In Artware and Lamps

By Rosalie J. Mendel

"Art," says William Morris, "is the result of a man's joy put in his work, and we must have just as much joy in the appreciation of it."

In the category of art the new clocks have found a place. Japanese lacquer with quaint and tiny figures in gilt have been effectively employed in several clocks. Conspicuous among the new clocks for the informal hall or sun parlor, are the wood ones decorated with old-timey clusters of flowers.

The seeker after something out of the ordinary will find hanging clocks patterned after the ones used during Colonial days. New and attractive are those of crystal and wood, also included amongst the novelties are clocks of a new metal finish in soft clouded shades of green.

Ornaments these days come in pairs. One is not sufficient unto itself. Beautiful examples of Ruskin, Rookwood or Chinese pottery grace the table or mantelpiece at either end.

An alabaster flower bowl has the leaves delicately carved on the inside of the bowl and raised chalice in the center with perforations for holding the flowers.

Looking like a great six-sided Chinese lantern, is a bird cage of scarlet and gold with big black tassels. Way up at the top hangs a tinkly bell to inspire the songster.

ed to extend and strengthen the institution of slavery," the signers of the call for this meeting declared, "has passed the senate by a very large majority, many northern senators voting for it and many more sitting in their seats and not voting at all. It is evidently destined to pass the house and become law unless its progress is arrested by the general uprising of the North against it."

"Therefore we, the undersigned, believing this community to be nearly or quite unanimous in opposition to the nefarious scheme, would call a public meeting of citizens of all parties to be held at the Ripon school house, on Monday evening March 20, at 6:30 o'clock, to resolve, to petition and to organize against it."

In response to this call the citizens of Ripon on March 20, 1854 definitely and positively cut loose from the two old parties, and sent out their appeal to the people of the North to make common cause against slavery. Democrats, Whigs, Free Soilers and Know-nothings were urged to abandon old affiliations and seek the inspiration of a new political party, dedicated to the cause of freedom.

The moving spirit in these proceed-

ings was Alvan E. Bovay, an instructor in Brockway college, at Ripon, and a friend of the great abolition editor, Horace Greeley. As early as 1852 Bovay had endeavored to impress the New York journalist with the necessity of organizing a new party that should be known as Republican. On February 26, 1854 he wrote to Greeley:

"Now is the time to organize a great political party to oppose it (slavery). If we wait until the dawn of a presidential campaign that organization cannot be successfully affected. Campaign excitement always solidifies parties, and the scattered elements out of which we must form our organization will then be chained to old political chariots, out of our reach."

"Your paper is now a great power in the land. Advocate calling together in every church and school-house in the free states all the opponents of the Kansas-Nebraska bill, no matter what their party affiliations. Urge them to forget previous political names and organizations, and band together under the name I suggested to you at Lovejoy's hotel in 1852, while Scott was being nom-

Wedgewood plaques and pottery are specially adapted for rooms fitted in Adams style. Vivid Chinese red lacquer forms different odd pieces, such as bowls or trays, which give just that dash of color so often needed in a room.

Methods in diffusing the light in a room are becoming more and more simple and inexpensive. Lighting experts are trying to teach the public that it is the light and not the lamp we are after and that the light is better if we screen the lamp from the eyes. A visible naked light dazzles the eyes and makes the seeing more difficult.

Lamps add to a room as jewels to a costume, besides accentuating the color scheme they are magical in adding a brilliant color note. You must try the shade by natural as well as artificial light, because it may be subdued by day, but its rich linings may give it a brilliant glow in artificial light.

Worth describing is a black and gold lamp topped with a shade of two layers of gold silk gauze, between which were brilliantly colored butterflies.

Another lamp with a gold base was capped with a shade of yellow silk, ornamented with silhouette figures which were glimpsed through a yellow chiffon covering. Long black Chinese tassels embellished the corners of the shade.

A square shaped shade of blue cretonne with large flower baskets overflowing with brilliant flowers had a black Chinese lacquer vase.

Old fashioned silk panels decorated with pictures were outlined with old gold galleon and shaded the light over a glass lamp base, which brought in view the idea of glass lamps being again in vogue.

Parchment shades strike a new note in the lamp world. A black shade with dancing girls in quaint costumes accompanied a bronze base.

The vacu flower vase may be assured that imitation is the sincerest flattery, for now we have a new conceit in a vacu electric light with silk shade to match the base. This may be attached to the console or dresser glass with narrow silk covered cord hidden behind the mirror.

Desk sets of colored leather or china are exhibited in most alluring colors. Sets of dull silver, containing everything necessary for the writing table are ornamented in a fanciful way with blue and white cameos.

Artful indeed is a sewing set which has a girl concealing the scissors and pins under her skirt. Her hat is a thimble, and the base of the sewing contrivance holds all kinds of spools of thread.

I mean the name Republican."

Greeley presently accepted Bovay's suggestions, and brought to them the great weight of his influence. The people of Michigan, who, on July 6, 1854 planned to perfect the first state organization of the new party, he suggested the name Republican, and his suggestion was accepted. The citizens of Wisconsin, who a week later called a convention at Madison, followed the same lead. Before many months the entire political alignment of the North had been changed.

The success of the new born party in Wisconsin was almost instantaneous. In the succeeding congress two of the three representatives to which the state was entitled were republican, and the legislature was so largely the same completion that in January 1855, it sent to the United States senate a republican abolitionist, one of the first to appear there. By time of the civil war Wisconsin was already regarded as one of the faithful in the ranks of the republican party.

The demand for twins never exceeds the supply.

"Hello, Mrs. Smith"—

This is Mrs. Brown talking. I just thought I'd call you up to tell you that my new gas range has been set up, and it is just fine. If I had known what a comfort it is, I would have had one years ago. Why don't you get one?

Mrs. Smith: I had my mind almost made up to get one, Mrs. Brown, and now I will. By the way, what kind of fuel are you going to use this winter?

Mrs. Brown: Gas House Coke. I've used that dirty coal for the last time. Mrs. White uses coke all the time, and she says it goes much farther than any other kind of fuel, is cleaner, and gives better results. I'm going to have a Humphrey Hot Water Heater installed, too. It's such a comfort to have all the hot water you want all the time.

Mrs. Smith: I'm getting tired of depending on the old fashioned hot water tank, too. It just seems as if there was never a time when you could depend on having hot water when it was needed. Where can you get the Humphrey Hot Water Heater?

Mrs. Brown: At the Wisconsin-Minnesota Light and Power Co. You really ought to go down and have them explain the Humphrey to you. You'll be really surprised at what it will do. I'm going down to see about an Estate Garbage Incinerator this afternoon. Why don't you come along with me?

Mrs. Smith: I will. George was telling me about a lot of those things and wondering why I didn't get them. Now I'll surprise him. Good-bye.

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END OF WAR WILL SEE GREAT FLOW OF WEALTH TO EUROPE

NEW YORK, Sept. 18.—Millions of dollars poured into this country by warring European powers for munitions are to be poured back into Europe at the end of the war by American tourists and immigrants, who will return to their home countries to aid in the work of rehabilitation.

American curiosity to see famous battlefields and the desire of aliens to play a part in rebuilding the war-torn cities of their countrymen will send money flooding back to Europe, according to indications at steamship offices here.

Taking as an estimate, as viewed by steamship officials, that 100,000 Americans will visit Europe during the first year after the war, and that they will spend an average of \$1,000 each, \$100,000,000 will be returned to the European countries within twelve months after peace is restored. The estimate of \$1,000 each as the amount they will spend is regarded as low.

Inquiries and applications for passage on the first ships to sail from the United States after the war are rolling into the booking offices by hundreds, and causing steamship companies to prepare for the biggest trans-oceanic business in history after the war.

Only two companies—the North German Lloyd and the Hamburg-American lines—are actually accepting tentative bookings, in the face of the uncertainty as to the termination of the war.

Transoceanic passenger and freight rates may take a jump after the war, it is declared, because of conditions which will increase the cost of operation.

North Side Briefs

O'Neil Shoe Store. Come buy now. Little Charlotte Graf, 1601 Avon street, has been removed to St. Francis hospital.

Mrs. W. S. Whidmoyes, who has been spending a few days with Mrs. D. O'Neil, 1615 Avon street, has returned to her home at La Crescent.

Thomas Skemp, 1643 Kane street, will leave Monday for Madison to attend the state university.

Harry Robinson, 1231 Berlin street, left Saturday for Madison, where he will attend the state university.

The condition of Norman Davidson, 1602 Charles street, who submitted to an operation for appendicitis at the Lutheran hospital Monday, is reported improved.

Miss Edith Weiner, 1541 Kane street, left today for Stockholm, Wis., where she will teach this year. Mrs. Walter Hafner, 724 Caledonia street, entertained the members of the Sewing club at her home Thursday.

Mrs. Lina Anderson, Holmen, is renewing north side acquaintances. Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Johnson, Hixton, motored to La Crosse Friday. They were enroute to Coon Valley.

Miss Mary Murphy, who has been renewing north side acquaintances, has left for Kilbourn, Wis. Reuben Thompson, 916 Rose street, left Monday for Madison to attend the state university.

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The Missionary society of the Cal-

We Have a Few New Fall Garments

Samples that were sent us. Not a full line, to be sure, but what we have of the Fall Goods are the best styles.

We Are Positively Going Out of Business

and in order to close out our stock as quickly as possible, we have included these new goods in our bargain offerings. Still deeper cuts have been made in everything remaining, prices in many cases are

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Suits, Coats, Wool Dresses, Wash Dresses, Petticoats, Waists, Furs, Gloves, Handkerchiefs and Novelties.

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Special Tomorrow Night

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SEVEN PART FEATURE

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See this space tomorrow.

RAIN KILLS FOUR

ERIE, Pa. Sept. 18.—Four persons were killed at a grade crossing of the New York Central railroad

THE STAR

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Richard Stanton in

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A great racing drama with Barney Oldfield

"THE PINNACLE"

With Myrtle Gonzales

"FLIRTING WITH MARRIAGE"

Featuring Base Ball Bill

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Grace Cunard will be with us again

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bound, struck the automobile of Mrs.

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dead are Mrs. Percy Sieger, Pitts-

burgh, wife of one of the members

of the firm of Sieger Brothers; Mrs.

K. Shipman, Pittsburgh, believed to

be the daughter of Mrs. Sieger; Miss

Maude B. R. Shipman, 13, daughter

of Mrs. K. Shipman; negro chauff-

eur, name unknown.

BOMBARD GERMAN AERODROME

LONDON, Sept. 18.—British naval

aeroplanes bombarded the German

aerodrome at St. Denis—Westrem, in

Belgium Sunday, the admiralty an-

nounced Monday. One of the flyers

was forced to land in Holland, where

he was interned.

BIG TEN REEL FEATURE COMES TO THE BIJOU

For the first time in the Bijou's history, a monster ten-reel feature will be presented for three days, this week.

The management was particularly desirous of obtaining the contract for "The Ne'er Do Well" Selig picture, as they had already shown it at their Fox theater at Aurora, Ill., for four days, charging twenty-five cents for all seats and playing to over four thousand admissions and have rebooked it for the near future.

Rex Beach, the famous author of the book, "The Ne'er Do Well," co-operated with the Selig Co. in producing this subject, using Kathryn Williams and Wheeler Oakman as well as all of the famous "Spoilers" cast, going to the Panama canal zone to film most of the scenes.

Few books have held the reader more closely than this great Beach story and it goes without saying that the picture can arouse more interest with the patron, as seeing is believing. The story deals with a worthy ne'er do well college man, an athlete, foot-

ball player, booze-fighter, who finds himself on a steamer at New York bound for the canal zone without money or friends.

His thrilling experiences keep the patrons royally entertained throughout the ten big reels.

Mr. Selig says this production is even better than the famous "Spoilers," which has shown in La Crosse at two different times.

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John Evenson, Mindoro, has returned after renewing north side acquaintances.

M. Larson, Galesburg, Ill., has returned after renewing north side acquaintances.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Winters, 1807 Kane street, have returned from Green Bay, where they attended the funeral of a relative.

Mrs. Wm. Laylund, 916 Gohres street, has returned from a visit in Bagley.

Theodore Thorson, 1440 Caledonia street, spent Sunday in the Twin Cities.

Elmer Nelson, 1803 Loomis street, renewed acquaintances in Minneapolis on Sunday.

Myron Swennes, 4121 Berlin street, has returned from a visit in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Mosher, 1633 Avon street, have returned from Salem, after a several weeks' stay.

The official board of the Caledonia Street M. E. church were to meet at the church Monday evening.

The Wendell-Phillips Debating society also held its first meeting Fri-

day evening but owing to the fact that it inaugurated its officers no regular debate was held.

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GETAWAY CHECKED

MANKATO, Minn., Sept. 18.—Upon complaint of Chief of Police Martinson, Minneapolis, Grover Lowry, delivery man for the Phoenix Laundry company, was arrested here Monday charged with stealing an automobile with which he delivered "the wash" for several years. His family and household goods were with him, enroute to the Pacific coast, he said.

DIAMONDS

The Store of a Thousand Gifts

The other day a pleased customer described ours, as "The store of a thousand gifts." Almost everything in this store was intended as a gift, something to treasure, something to give happiness, something beautiful.

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The prices are not high, not nearly so much as you would expect to pay for goods of such quality and workmanship.

It is our desire to sell you satisfactory goods. If for any reason these goods do not prove satisfactory and are not what we represent them to be, kindly return them to us at once and we will do what is necessary to make them give you entire satisfaction.

If it is your task to choose a gift soon, let us help make your selection. An article from IRVINE'S must satisfy.

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Peculiar Situation Exists by Arrangement Between Town Board and Washington Saloonists

A \$100 license fee, and \$100 extra contribution into the town treasury for several years has been the cost of running a saloon in the Town of Washington, it became known with the announcement of a high license election there Tuesday. The peculiar arrangement has been in force several years.

This arrangement was reached when an effort was made to raise the license some time ago. At that time the two saloon-keepers in the town made a pact with the town board whereby they contributed an additional \$100 annually and escaped an increase to \$250, which is the legal rate set by state law.

Tuesday's election results from a petition recently circulated, Cavadini & Weber, Middle Ridge, and George Chaplinsky, Newburg's Corners, are the two saloons involved.

PERSONALS

B. A. Yeomen meeting, dance Tues. M. P. Finnerty, Tomah, was a Sunday visitor in La Crosse.

Eugene Fuchs of The TRIBUNE spent Sunday at Cashton visiting friends.

Genevieve Finnerty, Tomah, spent Sunday here.

Mrs. E. J. Walsh, Baraboo, spent Sunday at a local hotel.

A. Hanson was a visitor in the city Sunday from Rockford.

The Electric Shop, formerly W. A. Grimes & Co., new location 607 Main.

Allen Roberts, 920 Berlin street, a member of fire company No. 4, in North La Crosse, is confined to his home with a severely sprained ankle.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Schork, of Chicago, are visiting in La Crosse for two weeks with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. Haerter.

Drummond, watches, 533 Main. Benjamin Hillig, Hastings, Minn., was a Sunday visitor at a local hotel.

Neil Radle, Westby, Wis., spent Sunday visiting friends and relatives in La Crosse.

E. A. Bishop was in the city Sunday from Racine.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Mitchell, and son John, of Aurora, Ill., have returned with friends and relatives.

H. S. Coffman was in the city Monday from Madison.

For prompt Taxi and Auto services call Radke's, phones 422.

D. C. Sampson, Wausau, was a Sunday visitor with La Crosse friends.

W. P. McGregor, Racine, spent Sunday at a local hotel.

J. M. McCoy and wife, Sparta, spent Sunday visiting friends in the city.

C. J. Ferguson and wife, West Salem, spent Sunday in La Crosse.

Hansen's Shoe Repair works, 304 South 4th.

Fred Schaidach, 925 South Eleventh street, and Alfred Zeisler, 1321 Main street, have left for St. Paul and Minneapolis for a few days visiting friends and relatives.

Walter Goetzinger, who has been confined at the La Crosse hospital for two weeks with a severe attack of rheumatism, is improving, according to reports. Mr. Goetzinger hopes to be able to play the theater this week.

Phone Gateway City Transfer Co. for your next hack call. Phone 179.

Wilma Clark, eight year old daughter of Mrs. J. C. Clark, 1323 Vine street, has fully recovered from an illness which has confined her to her home since shortly after last Easter. The little girl was operated upon and there after suffered three attacks of pneumonia. Her many friends will be glad to hear that she will return to school soon. She will enter the third grade in the State Normal training school.

Oscar and Gus Halsey have returned from a visit with relatives at Trempealeau.

Herman Edstad and Earl Currie left for Madison to resume their work at the state university.

Attorney James Thompson, and Dr. Gregg Smedal, who motored to Chicago last week, returned to the city Saturday after a pleasant journey without accident.

N. J. Birnbaum and Joseph Kratzer left Monday for Rochester, Minn., on a pleasure trip.

V. S. Keppel, Holmen, was in La Crosse on business Monday.

Charles Schriel, Chicago, a former resident of the city, is visiting friends here.

A. A. Skemp, 1643 Kane street, has returned from a business trip to Rochester.

BANDIT GIVES SELF UP

RACINE, Wis., Sept. 18.—Harold Nordhoff, 23, who gives his home as Cincinnati, walked into the police station Sunday night and gave himself up, as one of the bandits who have terrorized Racine the past week.

PENN TO DETROIT

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Sept. 18.—The Pennsylvania railroad will spend \$10,000,000 to extend its lines into Detroit. Samuel Rea, president of the system announced.

FORMER SPOKANE MAYOR RUNS

WINNIPEG, Man., Sept. 18.—Rev. W. J. Hindley, formerly Spokane Wash., mayor, now pastor of the Central Congregational church here was named businessman's candidate for mayor of Winnipeg Monday.

SOCIETY

MACCABEES INSTALL OFFICERS

Ladies' Review, New Century Hive No. 101, held their installation of officers Friday evening at Woodman hall, the ladies' drill team assisting in the work. The new commander, the installing officer and the record keeper were each presented with a beautiful bouquet of roses, and the retiring commander, Mrs. Earl Wheaton, was the recipient of two exquisite pieces of cut glass as a token of appreciation for her work during the past two years. Mrs. F. Harris presented the tokens.

FOR MISS DERR

Mrs. Frank R. Schwalbe was hostess at a charming afternoon coffee Saturday at her home, 1420 Madison street, in honor of Miss Edith Derr, who is to wed in October. The guests, numbering twenty-five, were accommodated at one large and several smaller tables. The larger table was centered with a vase of carnations and mombretzia, while baskets or the same flowers graced the smaller tables. Dainty baskets decorated with cupids and red hearts formed the place cards, the guest of honor being especially favored with a beautiful corsage bouquet. The assisting ladies were Mrs. Gus Rose and the Misses Mildred Mourning and Mabel Hedderich.

PRENUPTIAL SHOWER

Miss Mabel Lunke entertained at a prenuptial shower complimentary to Miss Hattie Neuman Friday evening at her home, 1223 Berlin street. The bride-to-be was presented with a set of silver. The guests included the Misses Lulu Knudson, Minnie Will, Rose Will, Olga Leveras, Gunda Leveras, Emma Schaefer, Clara Mettelle, Anna Hiesl, Clarabel Farham, Martha Dasso, Hazel Peterson, Lila Peterson, Mayme Ziemontz, Valberg Senstad, Emma Meyer, Mayme Neuman and Lizzie Hetman, and Mesdames Fred Schweigert, Peter Peterson, G. Seiber, L. Ducom, B. Will and J. Neuman.

RETURN TO MADISON

Among the delegation of La Crosse young men and women who will attend the state university this year, the following left yesterday for Madison: Margaret Skaar, Esther Wager, Ruth Boynton, Marian Dawson, Eleanor Schweizer, Marion Sanford, Elizabeth Veimar, Knut Houck and William Reid will be registered as juniors; Mamie Olson, Katharine Taylor, Edith Lyons, Mildred Hussa and Joe and James Baker will resume their work as sophomores, and Lila Spelsum, Elizabeth Wolfe and Ragnhild Skaar will be entered as freshmen.

ANNOUNCE ENGAGEMENT

Mr. and Mrs. John Rusche, 1902 Kane street, announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Emma Magdalen, to Vincent F. Lorbekski of Minot, N. D.

CLUB MEETING ADVANCED

The regular meeting of the La Crosse Women's club, scheduled for Wednesday, September 27th, has been set ahead a week and will be held on Wednesday, September 20th, as the original date would come during the session of the interstate fair.

DRINK A GLASS OF REAL HOT WATER BEFORE BREAKFAST.

Says we will both look and feel clean, sweet and fresh and avoid illness.

Sanitary science has of late made rapid strides with results that are a blessing to humanity. The latest application of its untiring research is the recommendation that it is as necessary to attend to internal sanitation of the drainage system of the human body as it is to the drains of the house.

Those of us who are accustomed to feel dull and heavy when we arise, splitting headache, stuffy from a cold, foal tongue, nasty breath, acid stomach, can, instead, feel as fresh as a daisy by opening the sluices of the system each morning and flushing out the whole of the internal poisonous stagnant matter.

Everyone whether ailing, sick, or well, should, each morning before breakfast, drink a glass of real hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it to wash from the stomach, liver and bowels the previous day's indigestible waste, sour bile, and poisonous toxins; thus cleansing, sweetening and purifying the entire alimentary canal before putting more food into the stomach.

The action of hot water and limestone phosphate on an empty stomach is wonderfully invigorating. It cleans out all the sour fermentations, gases, waste, and acidity and gives one a splendid appetite for breakfast. While you are enjoying your breakfast the phosphated hot water is quietly extracting a large volume of water from the blood and getting ready for a thorough flushing of all the inside organs.

The millions of people who are bothered with constipation, bilious spells, stomach trouble, rheumatic stiffness; others who have sallow skins, blood disorders and sickly complexions are urged to get a quarter pound of limestone phosphate from the drug store. This will cost very little, but is sufficient to make anyone a pronounced crank on the subject of internal sanitation.

SHOES

We invite you to come and see the complete showing of the New Styles for Fall at our—

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Wednesday, Thursday and Friday.
September 20-21-22



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ing the session of the interstate fair. The club will be entertained by Mrs. W. P. Long, 1330 Vine street.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Industrial society of the First Baptist church will meet Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Charles W. Rydon, 127 South Seventh street. The hostess will be assisted by Mrs. Mark Miller and Mrs. E. W. Parker. All members are urged to be present at this meeting.

The Young People's society of Our Savior's church, corner Sixth and Division streets, will meet at the church parlors Tuesday evening. A good musical program has been arranged and refreshments will be served.

The upper division of the Bazaar Workers of the Caledonia Street Methodist church will meet at the home of Mrs. Otto Kreuz, 1453 Wood street, Friday afternoon to sew for the annual bazaar of the ladies. Refreshments will be served, the Mesdames J. S. Morgan, F. A. Boetzing and P. S. Jeans assisting the hostess.

There is more money to be made by humoring people than by handling them advice.

CITY NEWS TICKER

Rev. Spicer Engaged

The Reverend Noel Spicer, pastor of Grace church, Rochester, Minn., will occupy the pulpit of St. Paul's Universalist church Sunday, it was announced Monday. Rev. Mr. Spicer is a cousin of E. L. Spicer of this city and has spoken from the Universalist pulpit on several occasions.

Freise Chickens Win

Four firsts and two seconds in the cleaning of William Freise, 521 North Tenth street, chicken fancier, from the Wisconsin state fair last week in Milwaukee. The prizes were won on six buttercup entries.

Small Calendar

But one case has been filed thus far on the day calendar for circuit court motion day, which will be held Saturday. It is expected, however, that several cases will be heard.

Molitor Gets Bond

Bonds in the amount of \$2,000 have been furnished by Anton Molitor, Caledonia, Minn., who has returned to his home. Molitor will stand trial in circuit court on charges of

having robbed his uncle, John Beck, of \$1,000.

May Exhume Body

Despite reports from fellow workers that a body found in the river near Brownsville Saturday is not that of Jack Martin, former light opera singer of note, the police have wired Martin's family in Syracuse, N. Y., of the discovery of the body, and may ask that the body be exhumed for definite identification. Martin fell from a rock barge to his death in the river, while employed as a laborer on government construction.

Money Goes to Soldiers

H. A. Lee, organizer of the local order of the American Yeomen, on Monday sent a check for \$100 to Captain Frank H. Fowler of Company M, now stationed at San Antonio, Texas. The money is the proceeds of the recently held benefit dance for Companies B and M, and the hospital corps.

LABOR LEADERS SEE MAYOR

NEW YORK, Sept. 18.—Labor leaders were to confer with Mayor Mitchell here this afternoon, put the entire situation growing out of the traction strike before him and endeavor to obtain concessions which avoid formal calling of a sympathetic walkout of thousands of union workers.



Just fresh from their tissue paper covering come these

New Fall Boots

These new styles for Fall contain grace and beauty. The 9 inch Black, Havana Brown and Buck-top effects which we are featuring more strongly than ever before, right now for the FALL OPENING DAYS are priced a little less here. "Seeing is believing." Will the woman who doubts it step forward, please?

WOMEN'S BOOTS. black kid, laced; they are 9 inches high, have plain pointed toe, leather Louis heel, priced most reasonable—
\$3.50, \$3.75, \$4, \$4.50

WOMEN'S BOOTS. Havana brown kid, laced, 9 inches high, long or short plain toe, leather Louis heels, a clever style for correctly garbed women. Priced **\$5.00 and \$6.00**

WOMEN'S BOOTS. black, gun metal, 9 in., lace, plain toe, leather Louis heel, Goodyear welt sole, priced at **\$4.50** pair

WOMEN'S BOOTS. Havana brown kid, laced, buckskin top, 9 inches high, plain toe, leather Louis heel. It's the most fashionable of all. At per pair **\$6.00**

A practical style at a low price.



SHOES THAT SUIT THEM ALL

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OUR MEN'S SHOES for fall will lift a man high up and into the class of true footwear form, and especially so if he wears our True Fit Shoes.

CHILDREN'S SHOES. Ever since our doors were flung wide in welcome with shoes, we carried a line of Children's Shoes from the tiny soft sole to the growing girl or young man shoes, and here too we fit the young folks and fit them with care, and always at prices that are a little lower. Try us for the little one's next pair.

Men, we can fit you in Button or Lace Shoes at—
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"YOUR CREDIT IS GOOD"

GERMAN COMPOSER OF JAPANESE NATIONAL ANTHEM IS DEAD

TOKIO, Sept. 18.—Franz Eckert, composer of the music of the Japanese National anthem, is dead. The authorship of the "Kimigayo", Japan's Star Spangled Banner, is disputed, but Japanese authorities admit this Tonten had a claim upon

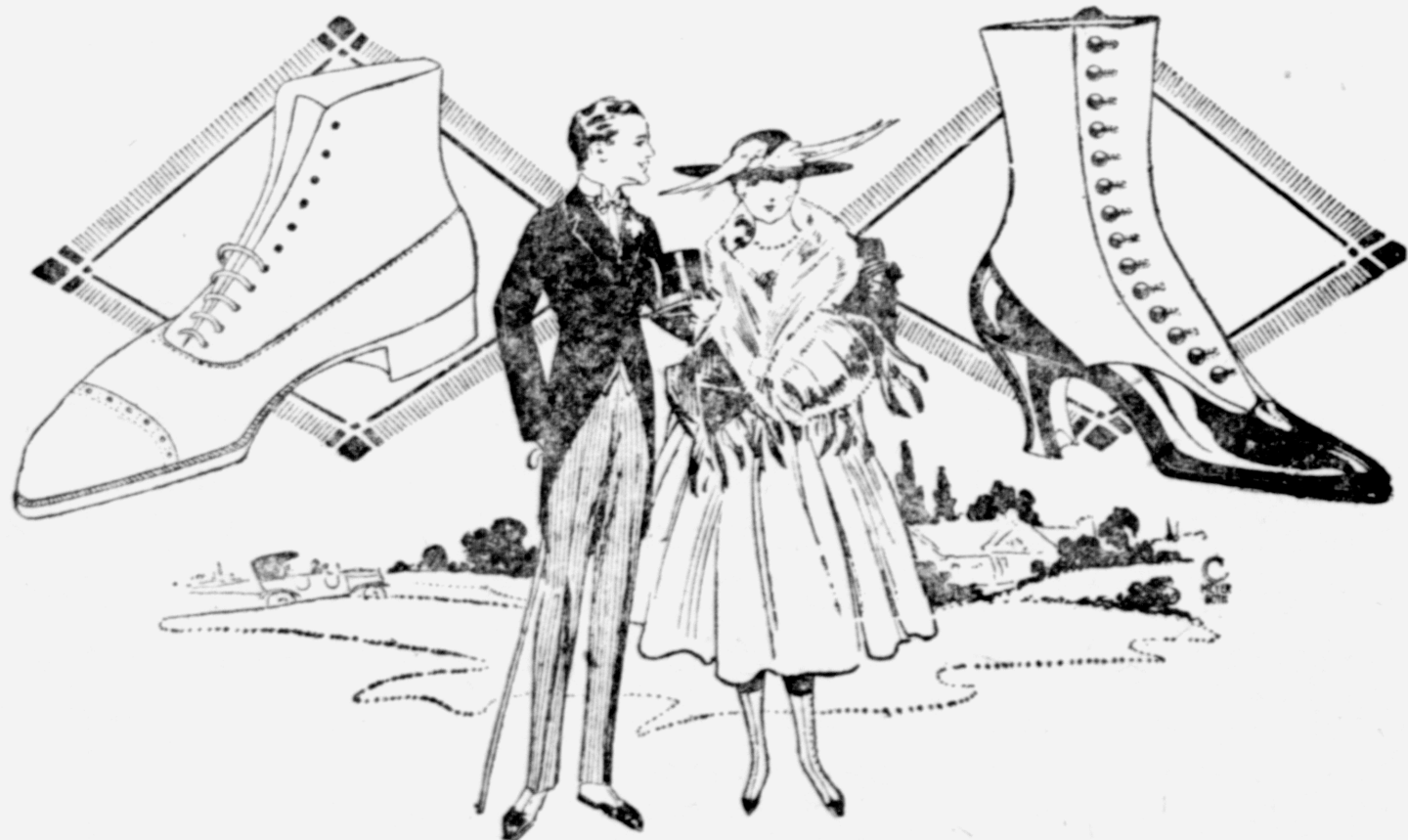
the song's composition.

Eckert, it is known here, died recently in Seoul, Korea. He was 64. When foreign music first was introduced into Japan in 1877 he was one of the leaders in establishing its popularity in Tokio and other leading cities of the empire.

At first Eckert was attached to the navy office but later was transferred to court, where he succeeded an American named Fenton as chief

of the western music of the court.

In 1879 a number of compositions, from which one was to be selected as the national air of Japan, were submitted to the court musicians. According to one story, Eckert picked one written by a Japanese, "re-touched" it and sent it forth as the "Kimigayo" of today. It is generally conceded, however, that the greater part of the music was written by the German himself.



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BLACKLIST NEEDN'T BE FEARED AVERS U. S. INVESTIGATOR

By JOHN B. HEARLEY

(United Press Staff Correspondent)

ROME, Sept. 18.—"British blacklists and other economic and industrial measures needn't worry the American business man," said Clarence W. Moomaw, European investigator of markets for the U. S. department of agriculture, here.

Moomaw's investigations in England, France, Switzerland and Italy are the basis for his statement. Later he will visit Russia, Scandinavian countries and Spain.

Moomaw is one of many agents in Europe making plans to protect America's future commercial relations with Europe. Special investigation is being made into the exportation of American grains, livestock and cotton.

The department probably will establish permanent agencies in the principal European cities after the war to see that American interests are protected and furthered.

Plans are being made to overcome England's discriminatory freight rates in favor of herself and her allies and to the disadvantage of enemy and neutral nations. It is said that now, because the grain must be shipped in British bottoms, wheat bought at one price in the United States is sold to Britain and her allies by British carriers at five times less than it is sold to Switzerland and other neutral countries.

An attempt is being made to establish direct trade relations between United States and Italy. As it now is, Italy must buy, for instance, all her cotton through Liverpool agents, thus permitting the British to control the Italian-American trade.

The secret of how America is to overcome these difficulties, at least in part, is the investment of American capital in European countries and the establishment of American banking facilities. The National City bank of New York already has taken steps in this direction in Milan and Genoa.

The Americans are the only people the Italians do not fear politically. Before the war Germany was a big factor in Italy's commercial life. The Italians say it never will be so again.

Italy now really is a commercial orphan, inasmuch as many Italians fail to see any advantage in further indebtedness to the British.

NOBODY HOME BUT SODA CLERK AND HE'S A FIZZLE

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Sept. 18.—There was nobody home in the country's drug stores Monday, but the soda clerk—and he's a fizzle. The bosses, to the number of some three thousand, are here in annual convention.

ITALY RESPONDS IN STIRRING STYLE TO NEEDS OF WAR

"Temporary Reverses" Only
Serve to Increase Morale
of the Italian
Populace

CREDIT IS DUE WOMEN

Femininity of Nation Rises at the
Outbreak and Gives of
Best to Aid the
Cause

BY JOHN H. HEARLEY

(United Press Staff Correspondent.)

ROME.—(By Mail.)—The manner in which the people of Italy celebrated the first anniversary of the war recently offers the best impression of Italy's spirit.

The event was everywhere celebrated with splendid shows of patriotic enthusiasm. The capital and other Italian cities made holidays to observe the occasion most fittingly.

The Roman Corso staged a shouting, singing and gesticulating procession of almost 200,000 people.

The populace, the military and governmental and civic officialdom took part. Flag-bearing women and children mixed with the men and boys in the long march from the Piazza del Popolo to the Piazza Venezia.

Broken veterans of 1870 in their tattered but treasured Garibaldian uniforms tolled along with the marchers.

Countless bands, all really musical, played the stirring martial music of Italy and her allies. The buildings, which aided the route, were gay with the banners of England and France and the Italian tri-color.

The moment of the celebration made it the more remarkably significant. The Austrians had just begun their fierce offensive in the Trentino. They had even been successful in their initial movements. Their greater strength in cannon and the favoring topography of the battlefield had been responsible.

Rome, like the rest of Italy, was full of wild and generally exaggerated rumors. The gossip, usually calculated to dishearten a people, was current.

Stories of enemy advances and alleged traitors in Italy's own camp, of alleged captures or annihilation of important generals and regiments were on many tongues. Nothing, however, could dispirit the courageous people.

"Temporary reverses" only hardened their determination to win and whipped their pride to greater efforts. Therefore they celebrated the anniversary by flinging into the face of the enemy not a decreasing, but an increasing enthusiasm for war.

Credit Due Women

Much credit is due the country's women of the people. They responded nobly to the general call for self-sacrifice. Girls replaced the male conductors on the street cars and the male sweepers of the streets.

In great measure the fields began to be tilled and the crops gathered by women. Other feminine substitutes, permitting able bodied men to train for war, were employed.

Even society gave up its money and its pleasures.

Red Cross hospitals and war relief stations were established and volunteer workers gathered by the thousands.

Womanhood Recognized

Italian womanhood, which for years had been crying for industrial recognition, at last was recognized. Ardent suffragettes rejoiced and stored away arguments for future use.

The "civil organization" included an entire system of organized activities. Girls who formerly frittered away their time on teas and parties were impelled to patriotic pursuits. Others who had been too closely sheltered by old-fashioned parental care followed their example.

The poorer classes rivaled both in their devotion to duty.

Italian maidenhood abandoned its lazy, dreamlike existence for a life of feverish activity.

Nurses Active

Quickly but carefully trained nurses tended the wounded warriors at the town and city hospitals. Some of these were private villas donated to the Red Cross or the government by private philanthropies or individuals. Others were seminaries for priests, loaned by the pope.

Educational and food centers for the relief of the families of soldiers were opened. All kinds of assistance was given to the needy families of men at the front. Special care of the children of the fighters and women about to become mothers was exercised. Employment was found for those who needed it. The home manufacture of military clothing was encouraged and aided.

Princess Doria offered a large part of her palace for use as a laboratory. Princess Alys Borghese established an economical kitchen in her private property and took charge of it. As many as 162,666 meals have been served there in a single month.

Mrs. Thomas Nelson Page, wife of the American ambassador to Italy, co-operated in these wartime works of mercy. Other residents of the American colony in the Italian kingdom lent willing hands.

Many have sought the ambulance in the very field of battle. Some temporarily have become Sisters of Mercy to facilitate the step.

Others signed official documents, which have often become their death warrants. They were compelled to swear that they would be willing to die for the sake of duty and possibly be buried in "a soldier's unmarked grave." In no wise would the government be responsible for their pat-

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heroic martyrdom. In countless cases heroic nurses have given of their flesh and blood to save the wounded. Unflinchingly they have invited and undergone serious grafting operations.

Queen Helena has been the ruling spirit of all these activities. She generally has inspired and directed everything. She has had the ready assistance of the Queen Mother Marguerita. Both have labored unceasingly from the war's start for "Fair Italy's Cause." Even now they continue to make their rounds to the

Roman hospitals and hospitals in the vicinity almost daily. Everywhere they leave the sunshine of cheer and encouragement in their wake.

The king at the front and the Royal family at home probably, more than anything else, have preserved the splendid morale of the Italian people.

See that no day passes in which you do not make yourself a somewhat better creature; and in order to do that, first find out what you are now.—Ruskin.

NOTICE OF GENERAL ELECTION

COUNTY OF LA CROSSE,
STATE OF WISCONSIN } ss.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that at a general election to be held in the several Towns, Wards and Villages of the County of La Crosse on the first Tuesday succeeding the first Monday of November, A. D. 1916, being the seventh day of said month, the following officers are to be elected:

Thirteen Electors of President and Vice-President of the United States.

A GOVERNOR, in place of Emanuel L. Philipp, whose term of office will expire on the first Monday of January, A. D. 1917.

A LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR, in place of Edward F. Dithmar, whose term of office will expire on the first Monday of January, A. D. 1917.

A SECRETARY OF STATE, in place of John S. Donald, whose term of office will expire on the first Monday of January, A. D. 1917.

A STATE TREASURER, in place of Henry Johnson, whose term of office will expire on the first Monday of January, A. D. 1917.

AN ATTORNEY GENERAL, in place of Walter C. Owen, whose term of office will expire on the first Monday of January, A. D. 1917.

A UNITED STATES SENATOR, in place of Robert M. La Follette, whose term of office will expire on the fourth day of March, A. D. 1917.

A REPRESENTATIVE IN CONGRESS, for the Seventh Congressional District comprised of the Counties of La Crosse, Jackson, Monroe, Clark, Vernon, Juneau, Adams and Sauk.

A STATE SENATOR, for the Thirty-second District, comprised of the Counties of La Crosse and Trempealeau.

A MEMBER OF ASSEMBLY, for the First Assembly District of La Crosse County, comprised of the First, Second, Third, Fourth, Fifth, Sixth, Seventh, Ninth, Tenth, Eleventh, Twelfth, Thirteenth, Fourteenth, Fifteenth, Sixteenth, Nineteenth and the Twentieth Wards of the City of La Crosse.

A MEMBER OF ASSEMBLY, for the Second Assembly District of La Crosse County, comprised of the Towns of Bangor, Barre, Burns, Campbell, Farmington, Greenfield, Hamilton, Holland, Onalaska, Shelby, Washington, the Villages of Bangor and West Salem, the Eighth Ward, the Seventeenth Ward, the Eighteenth Ward, and the Twenty-first Ward of the City of La Crosse, and the First, Second and Third Wards of the City of Onalaska.

A COUNTY CLERK, in place of Bert A. Jolivet, whose term of office will expire on the first Monday of January, A. D. 1917.

A COUNTY TREASURER, in place of Ole Lunde, whose term of office will expire on the first Monday of January, A. D. 1917.

A SHERIFF, in place of George J. Ritter, whose term of office will expire on the first Monday of January, A. D. 1917.

A CORONER, in place of W. L. Tetley, whose term of office will expire on the first Monday of January, A. D. 1917.

A CLERK OF THE CIRCUIT COURT, in place of Frank H. Aiken, whose term of office will expire on the first Monday of January, A. D. 1917.

A DISTRICT ATTORNEY, in place of Otto M. Schlabach, whose term of office will expire on the first Monday of January, A. D. 1917.

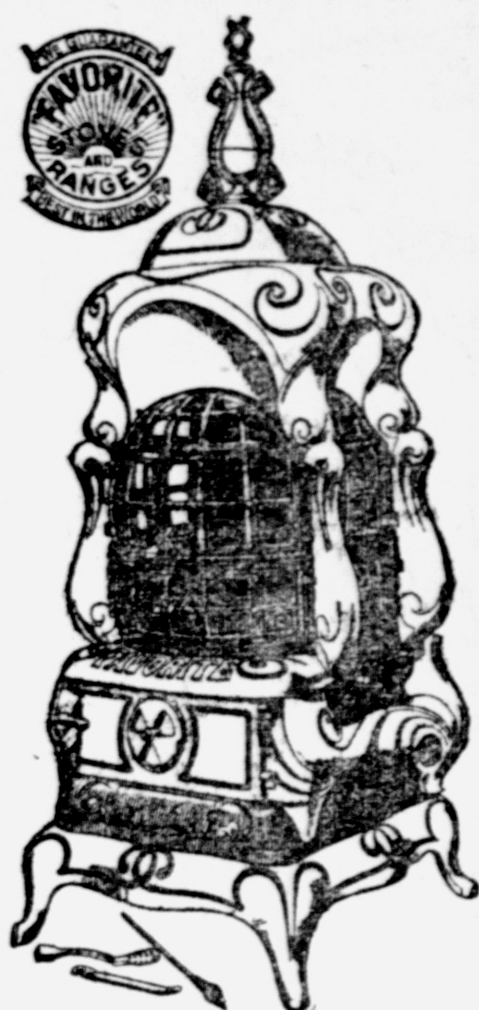
A REGISTER OF DEEDS, in place of Andrew E. Thompson, whose term of office will expire on the first Monday of January, A. D. 1917.

A SURVEYOR, in place of Henry Lueth, whose term of office will expire on the first Monday of January, A. D. 1917.

The said election will be held at the regular polling places in each precinct, and the polls will be open as follows: In the City of La Crosse from 6 o'clock in the morning until 8 o'clock in the evening; in the City of Onalaska and the several Towns and Villages, from 9 o'clock in the morning until 5:30 o'clock p. m.

Given under my hand and official seal at the Court House in the City of La Crosse, this 2nd day of September, A. D. 1916.

(Seal) BERT A. JOLIVETTE, County Clerk.

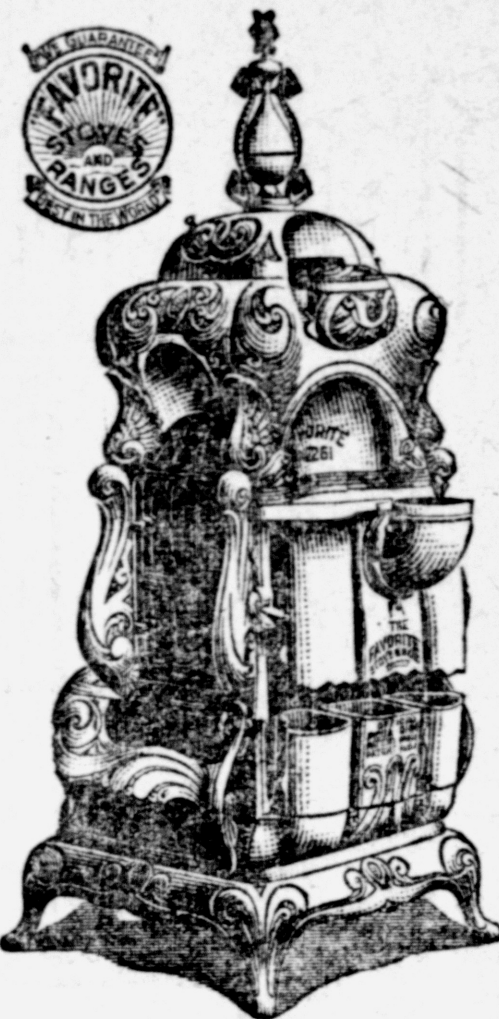


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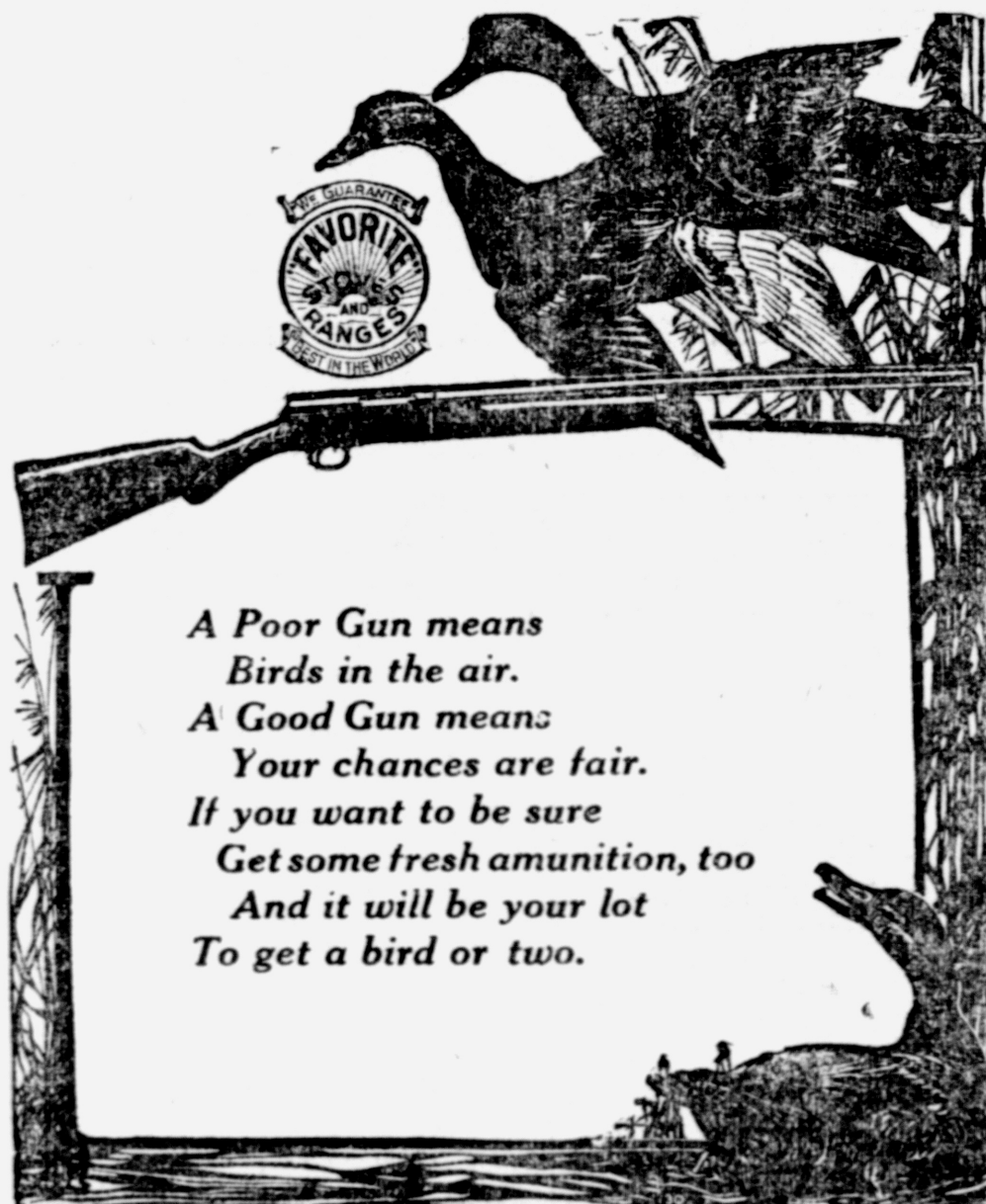


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Get some fresh ammunition, too
And it will be your lot
To get a bird or two.*

THE HASKIN LETTER

RAISING VENISON

By Frederic J. Haskin

WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 18.—

There is a man in the Adirondacks who owns a farm consisting of seven hundred acres of wild mountain land. The soil is shallow and rocky and the land is covered with brush and timber. It probably would not sell for more than five dollars an acre. It is impossible to raise crops upon it, and it would support only a few head of cattle or sheep. Yet this man is making a living off his land. He expects to make a great deal more in the next few years, and that without introducing any improvements.

This man is raising venison for the market. His stock consists of one hundred and fifty ordinary Virginia or white tail deer. He has a standing order from a hotel for two deer a week, and he sells the meat for twenty-seven cents a pound, while the horn and hide are worth something more. Although this land would not support any other kind of livestock in numbers except possibly goats, this farmer estimates that he can increase his deer herd to the number of five hundred without causing any scarcity of food; for deer eat twigs, leaves and weeds as well as grass. Their only rival in the matter of omnivorous appetite is the goat, and he is not worth a tenth as much.

In the opinion of scientists in the United States biological survey, and of men who have already gone into deer farming, the native Virginia deer is to be one of the most important domestic animals of the future, and big money is to be made in raising venison for the market because of the low value of the land upon which it may be produced. Persons who advocate the raising of the Angora goat in this country estimate that there are 250,000,000 acres of land in the United States which would support goats, and are fit for practically nothing else. A large part of this immense tract would also support deer. The Adirondacks, the whole Alleghany chain from Pennsylvania to Georgia, the Ozarks, the coastal vil-

derness of the Carolinas and the pine barrens of Florida are all potential deer range, capable of producing many pounds of venison to the square mile, which are now yielding practically nothing in the way of food. In the mountain regions mentioned, a few scrub cattle and razor back hogs, both of which have to be fed in winter, are the only livestock the land supports, while most of it is wholly unfit for farming.

Learned economists have often wrangled as to whether man should add to the number of animals that he has domesticated, some of them claiming that he has already as many as he needs, while others say that he should extend his sovereignty over animate nature as rapidly as possible because the exhaustion of the supply of petroleum is going to make animal power and animal products immensely more valuable in the future.

Which ever side may be right, the value to the United States of domesticating the native American deer and making our great tracts of wilderness produce a meat supply is obvious. It will be one more method of pulling down the soaring beefsteak. Perhaps equally important, it will provide the means of restocking wild lands with wild deer, thus saving to future generations the sport of hunting, which is one of the manliest in the world, and has trained American riflemen since colonial days.

In addition to the meat and sport which the propagation of deer will provide, the hide, commonly known as buckskin, is a fine durable leather which has many uses. In some European countries a pair of deerskin breeches are handed down from father to son for several generations, while the toughness of the buckskin clothing of our pioneer forefathers is a matter of record. Shoes have doubled in price during a comparatively few years. A large supply of a new kind of leather would have a good effect on the market.

Furthermore, deer improve forest land by eating out the weeds and low brush, while they seldom, if ever, kill the trees, eating only the leaves and smallest twigs. Although for the best results an effort should be made to tame them, they may be turned loose in a large enclosure where there is suitable pasture and running water, and allowed to shift for themselves. Thus deer farming seems to be a

proposition almost too good to be true. Its possibilities are exceeded only by those of the well known Texas cat and rat farm, where the rats were fed to the cats, and the bodies of the cats were fed to the rats, leaving the cat skins clear profit.

But there is a joker in the deer farming business. In many of the states, the laws provide that game may not be shipped or sold, and no exception is made in the case of game which has been domesticated. New York state is an exception to this rule. There game which has been raised in enclosures may be killed and sold by the owner, but he must accompany each shipment with a certificate showing where and how the game was produced. Some other states make concessions in favor of the game propagator. Arkansas has a law much like that of New York; in Colorado the owner may sell his deer, but must pay a fee for each sale; in Illinois deer raised in captivity may be bought and sold just like cattle; in Indiana the owner of a deer park is exempt from game laws, and much the same is true of Massachusetts; Minnesota requires a nominal fee for each animal kept and a permit must be taken out for each sale, and Missouri allows sale by certificate like New York. In most of the other states deer farming for profit would now be impossible because of the legal restrictions. The growing importance of game farming is being generally recognized, however, and the need for exempting the propagator from the operation of game laws should be brought to the attention of all state legislatures.

The Virginia deer, although the best species for propagation throughout the United States, and the easiest one of which to obtain stock, is by no means the only member of the deer family which may be profitably raised. There are a number of European varieties which have been raised in deer parks for centuries and which thrive in this country, while one of the finest stages in the world is the American elk or wapiti. This animal weighs as much as a thousand pounds, and has meat of a fine quality. It thrives and breeds over a great part of the United States, and even in the small paddocks of the zoological gardens, it multiplies so fast that the herds have to be reduced by sales. This animal might be raised almost anywhere in the eastern mountain regions. Unless a very large tract is available, the smaller deer would probably prove more suitable, for the elk is very destructive of forage, breaking down limbs and small trees. Where there is a large range, however, this great western stag would be an excellent animal for propagation. Stock may be purchased at from fifty to one hundred dollars a head. Elk are not good jumpers and do not require as high a fence as deer, five feet of woven wire being enough to keep them in an enclosure. During the rutting season the bulls are dangerous and combative. Some western ranchmen assert that a few elk in a sheep or cattle pasture are a sure

protection against dogs, wolves and coyotes.

That deer farming is a business of great possibilities there can be no doubt; but no one should go into it without the fullest information. First obtain the opinion of some naturalist as to the suitability of your range, and then see what your state laws are. If both are favorable, you may be reasonably sure of success.

MILLION DAMAGE TO STATE CROPS

MILWAUKEE, Sept. 18.—Nearly a million dollars is the estimated loss to crops in southern Wisconsin by frost Friday night. Tobacco, corn and potatoes were hit the hardest.

Rock county alone reported the loss to be near 250,000. The largest part of this was tobacco crops. There are 5,550 acres of tobacco in Rock county, of which one-half was in the barns. A large percentage of that in the field is a total loss.

Two points in Wisconsin—Soperton and Birchwood—reported snow last night.

Why Not?
The things we get for nothing are seldom worth the price. And, most of all, the thing we call gratuitous advice.

W. A. HOUGHTON BURIED FROM HOME AT SALEM

WEST SALEM, Wis.—(Special).—Funeral services for the late W. A. Houghton were held on Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Houghton home. Mr. Houghton was a member of the Masonic order and was buried with full Masonic honors, the service being read by John Langdon of La Crosse.

A short address was given by Rev. McKee. A male quartet, consisting of F. I. Bolles, Martin McDowney, George Blackburn and George Dudley, sang two hymns. Interment was made in the Neshonoc cemetery.

Mr. Houghton was an early settler and came to West Salem in 1868. He has made his home here ever since. He was born in St. Johnsbury, Vt., in 1844. In 1874 he was united in marriage to Miss Imogene Adams. His wife and two daughters, the Misses May and Grace, survive him.

Mrs. Kirmse Entertains
A luncheon was given by Mrs. Otto Kirmse Wednesday at 1 o'clock, in honor of Mrs. Will Sullivan of Barron, Wis.

Takes Banking Position
Will Crosby of Sparta was in West Salem Thursday, saying good-bye to friends here. "Bill" has been for several years connected with the Monroe County bank, at Sparta, but has accepted a fine position in a bank in Reolot, and left for his new home on Friday.

Residence Changes
There have been several changes of residences recently. Mr. Harley Oaks has moved his family into the fine new home which Mr. Oaks has built on the lot purchased of Hamlin Garland. The Waite house, formerly occupied by Mr. Oaks, has been purchased by Mr. William Van Zandt, who has had extensive improvements made in it, and is now occupied by the Van Zandt family. The Krohn house is being repainted and is undergoing other improvements and will be occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Peter Mikkelsen.

The house so long occupied by Mr. Wayne Betz, belonging to Sterling Brown, has been purchased by the new milliner here, Mrs. Buckhouse, and Mr. Betz has moved his family into the house formerly occupied by Mr. F. M. Brownell.

Mr. and Mrs. James Leavy have moved from the Houghton house into the Smead house, which they will occupy with Miss Nellie Smead until spring, when they expect to move to Gratiot, Wis.

Surprise Mrs. Norris
A very pleasant party gathered at the home of Mrs. James Norris on Friday afternoon. There were about fifty ladies present. The party was in the nature of a surprise to Mrs. Norris and the ladies carried a most bountiful and delicious picnic supper.

WASHINGTON STATE FAIR

NORTH YAKIMA, Wash., Sept. 18.—With flattering prospects of one of the most successful exhibitions ever held in the northwest, the Washington state fair was opened here Monday for a week's engagement. This year the board of directors have paid particular attention to the entertainment program, adding many free attractions of the highest class. An unusually large list of premiums also has been offered and as a result the choicest products of the orchards, fields, stock farms, dairies and poultry establishments are on display.

SCOTTISH RITE IN SWEDEN

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Sept. 18.—Masons, who by distinguished devotion to the interests of the craft have earned the highest honor in the fraternity, the thirty-third degree, are in Pittsburgh from all parts of the northern Masonic jurisdiction. The occasion is the annual session of the supreme council of the Scottish Rite, which began its sessions this morning with Sovereign Grand Commander Barton Smith of Toledo in the chair.

SAWS WAY TO FREEDOM

JACKSON, Mich., Sept. 18.—Harry Watson, 20 year old convict, saved his way to liberty through a barred window in the prison chapel Friday night.

Robbing Peter to Pay Paul

That's exactly what you do every washday, madam. You think you save money by doing your own washing. Figure up what it actually costs in soap, water, time, etc. Then add the wear and tear on your health and temper. You'll see why you should send your next bundle to us.

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BANGOR THURSDAY CLUB MEMBERS AT M' KINLEY HOME

BANGOR, Wis.—(Special).—The members of the Thursday club spent Thursday at the farm home of Mrs. John McKinley, west of Bangor.

Chester Height of Nebraska, and Wilmer Wright of Sparta called on Bangor friends.

Mrs. Oscar Bowen and Mrs. Roy Bowen were La Crosse shoppers on Wednesday.

Mrs. George Shane of Burns visited her sister, Mrs. Will Storandt, at St. Francis hospital Wednesday. Mrs. Storandt is recovering from an operation for tumor.

Mrs. Herman Winkie and daughter Helen were West Salem callers Wednesday.

Miss Marie Darling left for Augusta, Wis., Friday, where she will teach in the public school.

Mrs. Otto Hussa, Mrs. Ernest Hussa, Miss Amalie Hussa and Miss Marie Darling were La Crosse visitors Wednesday.

Clark Bradley, who has been very ill with pneumonia, is gaining slowly. Mr. and Mrs. J. Streton spent Saturday afternoon at the Elmer Peak home in Burns.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Breese are the grandparents of a baby girl, born to Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Harding of Colby, Wis. Mrs. Harding was formerly Miss Alice Breese.

Mr. and Mrs. George Streton have returned from Minneapolis.

Mr. and Mrs. George Cooper were La Crosse visitors Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Biddison of West Salem were in the village Wednesday evening.

Mrs. George Foster and two children visited Mrs. Ann Sheldon at Salem Wednesday.

A. L. Sprehn and Frank Rommel attended the state fair at Milwaukee.

A number of local Masons attended the funeral of A. Houghton, a West Salem resident, Wednesday afternoon. Among those who went were Dr. L. A. Gilfillan, George Foster, J. A. Richardson, E. J. Kneen, R. M. Jones, E. R. Peck, Rev. W. B. McCrary and G. C. Groezinger.

A vain man would almost be willing to die for the sake of the obituary notices that he expects, if he could first read them.—Albany Journal.

JAPAN MAKES ANOTHER MOVE TOWARD CONTROL OF PACIFIC COMMERCE

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 18.—A monthly freight steamship service between San Francisco and Australia is Japan's latest effort in her campaign to dominate the commerce of the Pacific. Z. Kamlyu, general manager of the Osaka Shosen Kaisha, made this announcement Saturday prior to his departure for the Orient after an inspection of the field.

He will recommend the establishment of a line between San Francisco and Sydney and Melbourne.

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to two doctors, then my mother got a bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and I took it. I never had any more trouble and got strong fast. Then I took it again before my little girl was born and it helped me a good deal and I gave the Compound the credit for it. Then this spring I felt very badly again, but I took the Compound and have been well all summer. I cannot be grateful enough for your medicine."—Mrs. HAROLD M. SMITH, 470 Water Street, Clarksburg, W. Va.

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Sport News Of A Day

NELSONS WINNERS OF FIRST BATTLE FOR CITY HONORS

Copsey of Athletics Liberal with Rides Which, with Poor Support, Loses for Team, 3 to 2

Seven bases on balls, one hit batsman, seven hits and poor support were too much for the W. B. U. Athletics and as a result the Nelson clothing company baseballers won the first game in the city title series Sunday, 3 to 2. Copsey was extremely wild.

The Nelsons were the first to score, pushing over two tallies in the second. After Satek was out, Bucklin singled and Freng walked. Childers was hit in the head by a pitched ball. Rogstad drew a free ride and a moment later Freng scored on a passed ball. Smith flew out.

Rohare brought in the first Athletics tally in the sixth. He singled, went to second on a passed ball and scored on Chapman's single.

Innell singled in the seventh, was sacrificed by Evenson and scored by Roeder's single. Roeder was out trying to stretch the hit.

The same teams meet next Sunday.

The box score:

Athletes	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Roeder, ss	5	0	2	0	4	0
Kirchels, 2b	4	0	0	2	1	0
Rohare, lf	2	1	2	0	0	0
Chapman, cf	4	0	1	0	0	0
Tanke, c	4	0	0	11	2	0
Weisse, 1b	4	0	0	12	0	0
Innell, rf	4	1	2	0	0	0
Evenson, 3b	2	0	1	0	3	2
Copsey, p	4	0	0	0	6	2
Totals	33	2	8	23	16	2

xOne out when winning run was scored.

Nelsons—					
Rigstad, 2b	BA	R	H	PO	A
Smith, ss	5	0	3	2	1
Iana, 1b	4	0	0	7	0
Satek, cf	4	0	0	1	0
Bucklin, 3	4	1	2	1	2
Freng, rf	2	1	1	1	0
Childers, c	2	0	0	12	1
Chapman, lf	3	0	0	1	0
Ritter, p	2	0	0	1	3
zKing	1	1	1	0	0

Today's If Battle

American League

Pct.	Today	Win.	Lose.
Detroit	.580	.553	.576
Boston	.575	.578	.571
Chicago	.570	.573	.566

National League

Pct.	Today	Even.	Win.	Lose.
Brooklyn	.600	.599	.606	.591
Philadelphia	.590	.593	.585	
Boston	.580	.584	.576	

TO HOLD DRESS-UP WEEK
MANITOWOC, Wis., Sept. 18.—Local retail merchants will hold their Dress Up Week program and second annual style show on Oct. 5, 6 and 7.

A. L. RACE IS TOSS UP BETWEEN TIGERS AND HOSES

BY H. F. HAMILTON
(United Press Staff Correspondent.)
NEW YORK, Sept. 18.—It is now a toss up between Detroit, Boston and Chicago for the American league championship.

With these three teams packed in at the top, with only a game and a half separating the Tigers and the White Sox and the Red Sox sandwiched in between, most anything can happen upon the turn of one game.

Monday was the last clash between Red and White Sox warriors for the season, but Tuesday the real pennant fight will be on with Detroit meeting Boston in the Michigan city. By continued winning, ball, Chicago may profit by the lacing their rivals give each other.

The Tigers lead the field by a single game, five points margin over the world's champion. The Red Sox took second place Sunday when they engaged the Chicagoans in the Comiskey stronghold and won.

The series now in progress in Chicago and the one approaching for the Tigers and Red Sox probably will decide the outcome of the American league race. From Detroit the Red Sox will go to Cleveland, where they probably will run into opposition of a stiff short. They are to return home in fit condition to take the lead and hold it, they must win a majority of their contests with the Tigers and Indians.

The National league clubs were all idle Sunday. Brooklyn, leading the procession, took on the Reds in a double bill and at Philadelphia the Phillies engaged the Cubs. The Cardinals and Braves will battle at Boston.

To go into first place the Phillies must win from the Cubs, while Brooklyn loses a pair to the Reds.

WATCHING THE SCOREBOARD

Sunday's Hero
George Sisler. The versatile artist of the Browns turned the first basing job over to Bill Borton while he went into the box and defeated Walter Johnson in a pitching duel.

Two bases on balls and a short single proved the undoing of the Washington star.

Forty thousand persons saw the Red Sox beat the White Sox and go into second place.

Baby Ruth, Bill Carrigan's star southpaw, triumphed over Urban Faber, Ruvland's marvel.

Detroit's victory over the Athletics gave the Tigers a few more points lead. Cobb's great work was too much for the Philadelphia. He singled, took third on a sacrifice and scored on a long fly.

It was Joe Bush, Connie's no-hit hero, who hit the dust before the Tiger onslaught.

Six runs in one inning were not enough for the Yanks to win from the Indians, who took the game, 9 to 7. Speaker fattened his average with three hits out of the same number of trips to the plate, while Cobb only had one out of two.

TIGERS HOLD LEAD BOSTON IN SECOND PLACE OVER HOSE

Cobb Scores Winning Run for Junglers in Tenth Inning of Irregular Game with the Macks

DETROIT, Mich., Sept. 18.—Although playing a very poor game in the field, Detroit managed to defeat Philadelphia, 6 to 5, on Sunday by hitting Bush at opportune times and running the bases with good judgment. The victory left the Tigers in first place.

The game went ten innings, Cobb scoring the winning tally. He drew a base on balls and went all the way from first to third on Veach's sacrifice. Crawford was purposely walked to bring up Heilman a right hand batter. The latter drove a fly to deep center on which Brown did not even attempt a throw, and Cobb came in. Bush was very unsteady throughout the game.

Coveleskie pulled out of several tight spots in which his poor support placed him. The score: R H E Philadelphia .1000030100—5 10 2 Detroit .3000101001—6 7 4 Batteries: Bush and Holey; Coveleskie and Stange.

Boston, 6; Chicago, 2

CHICAGO, Sept. 18.—Boston went into second place on Sunday when they defeated Chicago, 6 to 2. Ruth was in fine form and allowed the locals but five hits.

Faber's wildness in the third inning proved his undoing. He walked Gardner and Scott. Thomas followed with a single, which filled the bags. Ruth then hit a high bouncer to Faber, and before the ball came down Gardner scored. Hooper singled to center and Scott and Thomas scored, giving the world's champions a lead which the locals could not overtake.

The crowd on Sunday was said by club officials to be 40,000, the largest which ever has been in the south side park. The score: R H E Boston .031010100—6 12 3 Chicago .020000000—2 5 1 Batteries: Ruth and Thomas; Faber, Danforth, Cicotte, Lapp and Lynn.

Indians, 9; Yanks, 7

Score: New York .100000000—7 Cleveland .000512000—9 Batteries: Shawkey, Love, Caldwell and Alexander; Smith and Duberry.

Browns, 1; Senators, 0

Score: R H E Washington .000000000—0 6 0 St. Louis .000010000—1 4 1 Batteries: Johnson and Henry; Sisler and Hartley.

Big Stick Battle

American League				
Player	At Bat	Hits	Pct.	
Speaker	502	193	.384	
Cobb	497	182	.366	
Jackson	548	191	.348	
National League				
Chase	487	161	.329	
Hornsby	451	144	.319	
Wheat	522	165	.316	

DENY REPORTS BARK LANDED
SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 18.—Reports that the bark Star of Chile was aground and in danger off Point Pedro, south of the Golden Gate were denied Friday by officials of the Alaska Packers' association, owners

NORMAL'S TRACK PROSPECTS BRIGHT

While football candidates are coming in rather slow at the normal, chances for the track team of next spring are sprouting rapidly. McCormick the Soldiers Grove lad who comprised a one man team in the high school meet here last year, cleaning up individual honors, was at the normal Monday morning to enroll. The three men who comprised the Viola track team here and who won many events besides giving the La Crosse team keen competition in many others, have come to the normal although they previously made up their minds to enter the university. The addition of these men to the large number left over from last season increases the normal's chances for adding another state championship on the track. At present, however, the chief difficulty seems to be in annexing suitable football.

Standing of Clubs

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION

W.	L.	Pct.
Louisville	81	.61
Indianapolis	87	.576
Kansas City	81	.570
Minneapolis	82	.562
St. Paul	78	.502
Toledo	72	.480
Columbus	65	.439
Milwaukee	50	.333

AMERICAN LEAGUE

W.	L.	Pct.
Detroit	83	.60
Boston	80	.59
Chicago	81	.61
New York	72	.67
St. Louis	74	.518
Cleveland	73	.511
Washington	63	.500
Philadelphia	39	.217

NATIONAL LEAGUE

W.	L.	Pct.
Brooklyn	81	.600
Philadelphia	79	.55
Boston	76	.55
New York	70	.62
Pittsburgh	64	.74
Chicago	62	.78
St. Louis	60	.80
Cincinnati	53	.87

RESULTS SATURDAY

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Chicago 6, Boston 4.
Detroit 4, Philadelphia 3.
New York 4, Cleveland 3.
Washington 2, St. Louis 1.
Philadelphia 6-6, Chicago 3-0.
Brooklyn 4-1, Cincinnati 3-1.
Boston 7, St. Louis 1.
New York 8-4, Pittsburgh 2-3.

GAMES TODAY

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Pittsburgh at New York, two games, clear.
Cincinnati at Brooklyn, two games, clear.
Chicago at Philadelphia, clear.
St. Louis at Boston, clear.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

New York at Cleveland, today's game played August 27.
Boston at Chicago, clear.
Washington at St. Louis, clear.
Philadelphia at Detroit, clear.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION

St. Paul at Columbus, clear.
Minneapolis at Toledo, clear.
Milwaukee at Indianapolis, clear.
Kansas City at Louisville, clear, two games.

WATER POWER IS RESTORED NOW AT CAMP DOUGLAS

CAMP DOUGLAS, Wis.—(Special.)—The Orange Mills Dam, which furnishes Camp Douglas with electric power, is in operation after being out of order since Friday morning. A hard pressure of water took out a large timber, disabling the entire dam.

DECLARE SCORE DEAD IN BLAST

PITTSBURG, Pa., Sept. 18.—Employees of the Aetna Chemical company's Oakdale plant, where an explosion wrecked the nitrate building, declared flatly Saturday afternoon that probably more than a score were killed by the blast. The officials early Saturday admitted loss of four lives. The identified dead: John Paul, 25, of McDonald. B. R. Dobbs. An employee said he entered the wrecked building and counted eleven bodies. These, he declared, were exclusive of the eight dead whose scattered remains have been found.

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LA CROSSE FOLK LOSE AT MADISON BUT RETAIN LEAD

La Crosse golfers were defeated at Madison Saturday, 36 down in home and home play, but they retain a lead of eight points as a composite score for two years for the five year cup offered by the Maple Bluff club.

Madison was defeated here in July, 33 down. La Crosse finished the 1915 season with a lead of eleven points.

The scores of Saturday:
George Van Auker, 3; Inman, 0.
R. D. Gordon, 0; Coffin, 0.
F. H. Hankerson, 0; Main, 0.
J. M. Hixon, 0; Roys, 3.
Emil Niemeyer, 1; Parkinson, 0.
P. P. Hixon, 0; Wheeler, 3.
P. M. Gelatt, 2; Frederickson, 0.
A. M. Tourtellotte, 1; Steensland, 0.

G. W. Burton, 0; A. L. Sanborn, 3.
A. Lees, 0; Main, 3.
Alf James, 2; Whooton, 0.
H. K. Holley, 2; J. Jessenich, 0.
H. M. Curtis, 0; Brown, 2.
H. J. Hirschheimer, 3; Tenney, 0.
C. H. Schweizer, 0; Rigley, 2.
Hal Hirschheimer, 0; P. Sanborn, 2.
E. Hirschheimer, 0; Montgomery, 3.
F. J. Felber, 0; McGuire, 3.
G. Van Steenwyk, 0; Morris, 3.
J. B. Funke, 0; Garrison, 3.
W. D. Iden, 0; Butler, 2.
A. L. Goetzmann, 0; Tressler, 3.
A. C. Gran, 0; F. Kessenich, 1.
W. F. Wolfe, 0; Bardeen, 3.
A. L. Farnam, 0; Kraus, 2.
A. A. Dusty, 0; Brady, 2.
E. A. Gatterdam, 0; F. E. Brown, 1.
Totals, 14—15.
Madison 36 up.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION

Louisville, 5-9; K. C., 4-3.
First game—R H E
Kansas City .100020000—4 11 2
Louisville .10310000x—5 8 0
Batteries: Regan, Crutcher, Berry and Hargrave; Middleton, Palmero, Perdue and Williams.
Second game—R H E
Kansas City .100002—3 8 4
Louisville .15102x—9 3 2
Batteries: Sanders, Humphries, Smith and Hargrave; Schaurer and Billings.

Columbus, 4-3; St. Paul, 3-9.

First game—R H E
Columbus .20010100x—4 10 1
St. Paul .000102000—3 8 2
Batteries: Curtis and LaYonge; Griner, Niehaus and Mayer.
Second game—R H E
Columbus .01200000—3 5 2
St. Paul .10110000—9 16 3
Batteries: Vance, Blodgett and Coleman; Uphorn, Griner and Mayer.

Indians, 7-11; Brewers, 0-2.

First game—R H E
Milwaukee .000000000—0 2 4
Indianapolis .10000231x—7 10 1
Second game—R H E
Milwaukee .0002000—2 3 4
Indianapolis .0202403—11 13 1
Game called, darkness.
Millers, 7-6; Toledo, 1-2.

First game—R H E
Minneapolis .000000502—7 6 1
Toledo .000000010—1 9 2
Second game—R H E
Minneapolis .02000101—6 9 1
Toledo .000000200—2 7 3

KICKAPOO HURLER GIVES ONE HIT TO CASHTONITES

CASHTON, Wis., Sept. 18.—(Special.)—Quail of the Kickapoo Valley All Stars, allowed one hit to Cashton Sunday. The All Stars winning 2 to 1. His chances for a no-hit, no run game were spoiled by his wildness. He hit seven and walked six. Brody of Cashton was hit in the eye by a pitched ball and was rushed to a physician.

The score: R H E
Cashton .000000001—1 1 1
All Stars .000002000—2 5 0
Batteries: Bell and Wais; Quail and Anderson.

He who does as he likes usually does as other people dislike.—Desert News.

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SETH LOW DEAD; WAS EDUCATOR AND PUBLIC MAN

NEW YORK, Sept. 18.—Seth Low died Sunday on his farm at Bedford Hills, N. Y., where in recent years he had been giving close attention to scientific agriculture. He was 66 years of age. His death is ascribed to a complication of diseases from which he had been suffering for several years. Twice mayor of Brooklyn, and once of Greater New York, formerly president of Columbia university, to which he gave \$1,000,000 and which he directed brilliantly through the most expansive eleven years of its history, Mr. Low continued almost to the end his active interest in public affairs.

HONORS REQUISITION
ST. PAUL, Minn., Sept. 18.—Governor Burnquist on Saturday honored the requisition for the return to Chicago on a charge of not supporting his wife and child of Stanley Czaia, under arrest in Minneapolis.

SHOES

J. HENRY BENNETT PHILIPP CHOICE AS THE KEYNOTER?

MADISON, Wis., Sept. 18.—The first test of strength in the republican platform convention Tuesday will come over the election of a permanent chairman. While it seems generally conceded here that George A. West of Milwaukee will be elected state chairman at the close of the convention, it is understood that either Senator J. Henry Bennett of Viroqua, or Senator E. T. Fairchild of Milwaukee, will be elected temporary chairman, sound the keynote and preside over the deliberations of the convention while in session.

Many of the details of the convention have already been worked out. It is understood that as soon as a temporary chairman is elected, motions will be made to have each congressional delegation elect one member on the committee which is to draft the platform. The men who have been nominated as state officers on the republican ticket will also be made members of the resolutions committee. Another resolution will provide that all proposed planks be submitted direct to the committee and not read on the floor.

The plan is to close the convention early Tuesday night, because Governor Philipp is desirous to return to Milwaukee for the purpose of accompanying candidate Charles E. Hughes on his tour of lakeshore counties. Just what part the La Follette men are to take in the republican convention still remains a mystery. At Senator La Follette's office it is stated that the senator is working on his Door county speech and is giving no attention to the convention matter.

Senator Platt Whitman of Highland, who will play a leading role in the convention in the interest of Governor Philipp, has been here since Saturday. Senators Bray, Hanson and Burke were expected to arrive on the noon train today.

From all indications the democratic convention, which convenes tomorrow at the same hour as the republican convention, will move off slowly. The progressives have a complete majority and will acquiesce in the views of Burt Williams, who was nominated at the primaries without opposition. The rumor is current that O. A. La Budde will be elected state chairman. There are indications here that John A. Aylward may be called on to sound the keynote of the democratic convention here tomorrow.

DAIRY SHOW AT KANSAS CITY

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Sept. 18.—Half a million dollars worth of blue-blooded cattle was placed on exhibition in the convention hall here Monday at the big show of the Southwestern Dairy association. The pick of the finest dairy herds of the United States and Canada have been entered in the competition for the liberal prizes to be awarded. The annual convention of the association will be held during the week and will be attended by dairymen and cattle raisers from numerous states.

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It's Grandmother's Recipe to Bring Back Color and Lustre to Hair.

You can turn gray, faded hair beautifully dark and lustrous almost overnight if you'll get a 50-cent bottle of "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound" at any drug store. Millions of bottles of this old famous Sage Tea Recipe, improved by the addition of other ingredients, are sold annually, says a well-known druggist here, because it darkens the hair so naturally and evenly that no one can tell it has been applied.

Those whose hair is turning gray or becoming faded have a surprise awaiting them, because after one or two applications the gray hair vanishes and your locks become luxuriantly dark and beautiful.

This is the age of youth. Gray-haired, unattractive folks aren't wanted around, so get busy with Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound tonight and you'll be delighted with your dark, handsome hair and your youthful appearance within a few days.

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ITALIAN SMASHES CARRY THIN LINES OF THE AUSTRIANS

By JOHN H. HEARLEY
(United Press Staff Correspondent)

ROME, Sept. 18.—The Italians have broken the Austrian third line in the region of Monfalcone after three days of fierce fighting.

On the whole front from Goritz south to the sea the new Italian drive on Trieste is proceeding satisfactorily. A whole series of Austrian positions, from Oppacchiasella southward through Pietra Rossa, have been carried and the Austrians driven back to trench positions in the valleys.

Advanced Italian lines are now within less than thirteen miles of Trieste.

Heavy rainstorms have interfered with the progress of the offensive, preventing aerial observation and thus impeding the artillery attack. But despite these obstacles Cadorna's men drove the enemy down the eastern slopes of Hills 144, 208 and several other dominant positions, holding up the Italian advance along the Vallone.

NEW GREEK CABINET ONLY SERVICE BODY

ATHENS, Sept. 18.—The new Greek cabinet, headed by Nikolaos Kalogeropoulos, assumes power under the same conditions as surrounded its predecessor and is merely a service cabinet.

The new premier, M. Kalogeropoulos is considered one of the cleverest lawyers in Greece and has received the degree of doctor of laws from the University of Paris. He lived for a long time in France and has close relations with Great Britain.

The new premier is friendly to former Premier Venizelos, although he is not an active partisan of the Venizelist policy.

The new cabinet is considered here to be favorable toward Greece's participation in the war.

Other members of the cabinet are: Foreign Minister, Karapanos; Minister of Justice, Vocotopoluos; Public Instruction, Kanaris; Communications, Kartandocglou; Economy, Besias.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE BATAVIAN NATIONAL BANK

At La Crosse, in the State of Wisconsin, at the close of business on September 12, 1916.

RESOURCES	
Loans and discounts	\$2,009,380.21
Overdrafts, unsecured	793.93
U. S. bonds deposited to secure circulation (par value)	374,140.00
Bonds, securities, etc.	
Bonds other than U. S. bonds pledged to secure postal savings deposits	20,000.00
Securities other than U. S. bonds (not including stocks) owned unpledged	572,455.86
Total bonds, securities, etc.	592,455.86
Stock of Federal Reserve Bank (50 per cent of subscription)	16,500.00
Value of banking house	40,000.00
Net amount due from Federal Reserve Bank	61,847.83
Net amount due from approved reserve agents in New York, Chicago and St. Louis	205,088.10
Net amount due from approved reserve agents in other reserve cities	259,010.63
Net amount due from banks and bankers	464,098.78
Other checks on banks in the same city or town as reporting bank	126,507.83
Outside checks and other cash items	27,981.60
Fractional currency, nickels and cents	75,913.10
Notes of other national banks	678.12
Coin and certificates	76,591.22
Legal-tender notes	21,294.00
Redemption fund with U. S. treasurer and due from U. S. treasurer	88,537.00
	10,000.00
	18,707.00
Total	\$3,928,835.36

LIABILITIES	
Capital stock paid in	\$ 400,000.00
Surplus fund	150,000.00
Undivided profits	59,303.17
Less current expenses, interest and taxes paid	6,940.74
Amount reserved for taxes accrued	52,362.43
Circulating notes outstanding	8,015.97
Net amount due to banks and bankers	367,540.00
Dividends unpaid	584,776.74
	125.00
Demand deposits:	
Individual deposits subject to check	849,723.77
Certified checks	4,000.00
Postal savings deposits	7,307.83
Total demand deposits	\$61,031.66
Time deposits (payable after 30 days, or subject to 30 days or more notice):	
Certificates of deposit	756,315.25
Other time deposits	748,668.31
Total time deposits	1,504,983.56
Total	\$3,928,835.36

State of Wisconsin, County of La Crosse, ss.—I, John A. Bayer, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

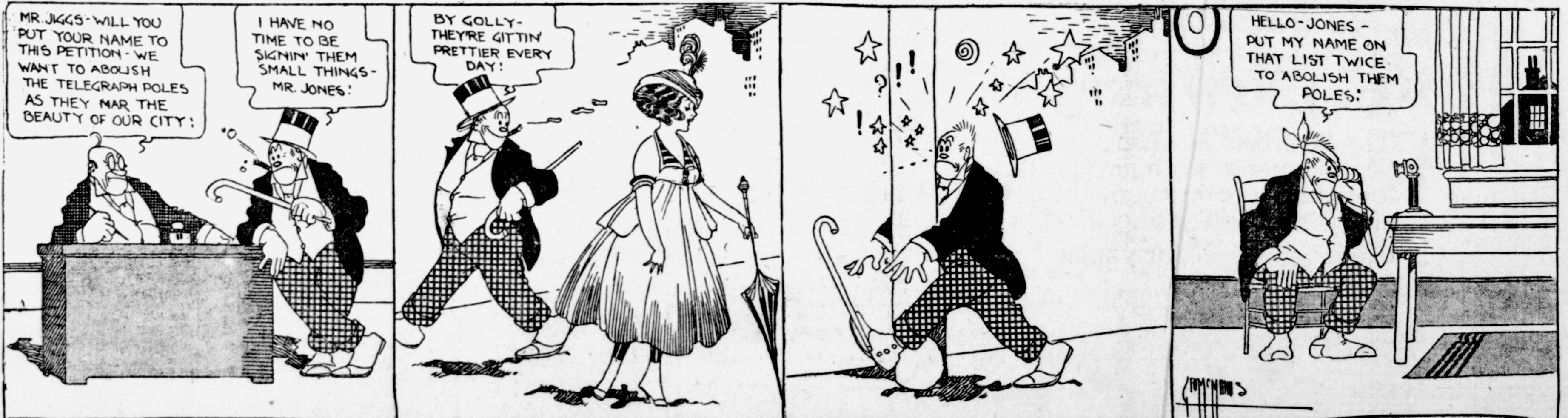
JOHN A. BAYER, Cashier.
GEO. H. CLARK, Notary Public.
My commission expires July 7, 1918.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18th day of September, 1916.
(Notarial Seal)
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WANTED—MALE HELP

WANTED—Ladies and gentlemen singers, dancers, vaudeville acts and piano players for tent shows. Open Tuesday, Caledonia, Minn. Telephone B. Zayno, Caledonia, Minn. 9 18 18

WANTED—Two boys. Steady work. Bright future for right party. Fred Kroner Hardware Co., Wholesale Department, 309 So. 3rd. 9 14 27

WANTED—A neat appearing young man—good salesman—for a few days work. Call today, 202 No. 6th St., State St. entrance. 9 18 18

WANTED—Young man for office work, experience not necessary, must be good writer. Phone 231. 9 18 30

HELP WANTED — Reliable man, steady work and good wages to right party. 217 No. 3rd. 9 12 23

FIREMEN. Brakemen, beginners paid \$120 monthly, no strike service. Railway, care Tribune. 9 18 18

WANTED—Men at quarry. Steady work. \$2.25 per day. La Crosse Stone Co. 8 1 14

WANTED—Man to operate punch press. Starch Bros. Co., 200 So. Front St. 9 18 19

WANTED—Messenger boy at North American Telegraph Co., 218 Main street. 9 18 30

WANTED—Carpenters. A. H. Mitchell, 314 West avenue north. 9 16 19

WANTED—Driver at Reliable Steam Laundry, 117-119 North Sixth. 9 18 20

WANTED—Delivery man. Fred Kroner Hdw. Co., 309 So. 3rd. 9 18 30

WANTED—Boy to learn candy making. Kratchwil Candy Co. 9 11 23

WANTED—Yard man, Northwestern Hotel. 9 1 823

WANTED—Boy, at Hoeschler's. 9 18 20

WANTED—FEMALE HELP

WANTED—A neat young girl, must be first class violin player and not afraid to play on the stage. Good opportunity if willing to travel. Good pay. Further information call personally and see Mr. Wm. Molsen, Jefferson Hotel. Between 10 and 12 a. m. 9 16 18

WANTED—Ladies and gentlemen singers, dancers, vaudeville acts, and piano players for tent shows. Open Tuesday, Caledonia, Minn. Telephone B. Zayno, Caledonia, Minn. 9 18 18

WANTED—A number of girls, boys and men to work at Montague's, not necessarily over 16. Call at 3rd and Badger St. Phone 1688-A. 9 12 14

GIRLS WANTED for cutters at Pennant factory, corner Charles and Rublee Sts., La Crosse Pennant Co., La Crosse, Wis. 9 18 18

WANTED—An experienced girl for general housework. No washing. Mrs. D. G. MacMillan, 1222 Cass St. 9 14 26

WANTED—Experienced girl for housework. Mrs. J. E. Higbee, 223 North Loxey boulevard. 9 11 17

WANTED—Girl. Steady employment. Pamperlin Cigar Co., 113 South Second street. 9 13 26

WANTED—Competent girl for general housework. Mrs. Will Ott, 1215 Main street. 9 13 17

WANTED—Girls, 16 years or over, to work in our factory. La Crosse Knitting works. 7 6 14

WANTED—Competent girl for general housework. 1625 Main. Mrs. J. A. Thwing. 9 14 27

WANTED—Girl for general housework. No washing. Mrs. Dyson, 219 South Ninth. 9 16 19

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Inquire Room 5, Beck building. 8 24 14

WANTED—Girls over 16 years old. Call at Funke's Candy Factory. 9 9 22

WANTED—Chambermaid and two kitchen girls. Stoddard hotel. 9 11 17

WANTED—Girl for general housework. 308 So. 6th. 8 30 14

WANTED—Two girls at Eagle hotel at once. 9 14 20

WANTED—Girl at county poor farm. 9 18 30

REAL ESTATE For Sale or Trade

FOR SALE—Frame residence, beautifully located, central residence district, shady boulevard, electricity, gas, water; half block from car, six blocks from business district. Address K. E. care Tribune. 7 19 14

FORTY OR EIGHTY ACRES with fair buildings, good clay soil, no waste land, close to town. \$25 per acre; \$100 cash, balance long time. Frank M. Doyle, Ladysmith, Wis. 6 10 10

FOR SALE—Summer cottage locations in "Shore Acres" on Mississippi. Buy now, build later. \$100 buys acre. Terms if desired. W. V. Kidder, 114 North Fifth. 3 27 14

FOR SALE—Good house cheap. Box 322, City. 9 15 19

FOR SALE—First class lot on Hill view, facing park, across from city greenhouses. Call 907-M or address L. T. care of Tribune. 4 12 14

FOR SALE—Twenty acre fruit farm, good buildings. Price reasonable. Geo. Strupp, Dakota, Minn. 9 12 25

FOR SALE—Small farm. For particulars inquire 1317 Gohres street, La Crosse, Wis. 9 5 10 4

FOR SALE—200 acre farm. Martin Anderson, R 2, Bangor, Wis. 8 30 9 29

FOR SALE—Residence. Inquire 803 South Eleventh street. 9 5 18

FOR SALE—Small house, reasonable. Phone 928-R. 9 18 23

FOR SALE

PICTURE show, only show in live Minnesota town. Seats 250; two motor-driven machines. Excellent equipment. Clears \$40 weekly. Would consider trade of small piece of Wisconsin or Minnesota land. Don't answer unless you mean business. Address P. S. care Tribune. 9 18 23

FOR SALE—4,800 feet of seine, 30 feet deep, 18 twine, 3 inch barr, oil used 30 days, good as new and 5,000 feet of older seine, 20 feet deep, 2 inch barr, will sell all or part, cheap. Address Hardman and Nelson Spirit Lake, Iowa. 9 9 18

WANTED—To sell a full year's scholarship in the W. B. U. Conditions present owner from attending the school and will sell the scholarship for \$35 cash. If interested write immediately to Scholarship, care of Tribune. 9 9 18

FOR SALE—Twelve horsepower Case steam engine and 14 inch Smalley chugger cutter with carrier. Prefer to sell together. Call New Phone 52 or Old Phone 302. 8 30 14

SURREY, single buggy, double harness, all practically new, at bargain prices. Elsen & Phillips, 110 South Second street. New phone 61; old phone 513. 9 18 23

FOR SALE—Cash or terms, buys \$450 worth of household furniture, nearly new at 25 per cent discount. Address Box 319, care Tribune. 9 18 23

FOR SALE—Player piano, with 30 good records, good condition. Worth \$600, \$250 will buy it or will consider trade for auto. Phone 969-C. 8 31 9 27

BLACKSMITH stock and tools for sale, with log lease on building. Other business leaving state. Address Box 186, Malcolm, Iowa. 9 13 23

FOR SALE—T4 head of horses, two mares, wight 1,400, fifteen milch cows. Abet farm, Sand Lake Coulee. John Heen. 9 18 23

FOR SALE—A good mare, cheap if taken at once. Has four saddle gait and with foal to Prince Gibson. At 821 State str. 8 16 19

FOR SALE—Aldales; champion bred, registered stock. Ruth Dare, 2235 Fillmore St. N. E., Minneapolis, Minn. 9 1 30

FOR SALE—Horn, buggy and entire outfit, cheap if taken at once. Call new phone 713-A or 1965-Green. 9 13 19

FOR SALE—\$400 Hamilton piano, cheap; first class condition. Klays Bros. Piano Co., 61 Main street. 8 17 14

COMPLETE Columbia house, 4,000 new records. He them. Klays Bros. Piano Co., 60 Main St. 9 18 10 17

FOR SALE—Good ping business; requires small investment. Owner going back to school. 15 Pearl. 9 15 21

FOR SALE—Linoleum, buffet, dining table, rug, chiffer, gas stove and bed. 1109 Main. 9 16 19

FOR SALE—Household goods, including roll top desk and gas stove. 119 North Fifteenth. 9 18 30

FOR SALE—A large soft coal heater; good condition. 820 West avenue south. 9 15 18

FOR SALE—Six coverage with reservoir and warmoven. New phone 768-C. 9 16 19

FOR SALE—Good dependable pianos. \$225.00 and 4 Carl B. Noelke. 11 10 10

FOR SALE—Heifer, cing three years, registered stock. 1521 9661. 15 21

VICTROLAS, \$15.00 and up. Victor records, 75c and up. C. B. Noelke. 91 10 10

FOR SALE—Clay and quality black dirt. La Crosse bus Co. 8 1 14

COLUMBIA new double records, 65c. Weis Book Store, 6 Main. 9 10 4

FOR SALE—Crocheted spread. Address 25, care of Tribe. 96 19

FOR SALE—Phonograph records. 1133 Caledonia str. 9 21

FOR SALE—Piano boxes, 50 up. Carl B. Noelke. 9 10 10

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Three large modern steam heated rooms with bath, furnished complete for high school or normal students. 5 So. 21st St. 1467-R phone. 9 20

FOR RENT—Three modern furnished rooms, bath and spring water heat. C. N. Hawley, 403 North Eleventh. 9 12 3

NEWLY furnished modern city heated room. \$10 per month. Call 12 to 1 noon or 6 to 7 evening. 15-C street. 9 14 27

FOR RENT—Eleven room modern house. 1404 West avenue sh. Inquire F. A. Chase, La Crosse, F. J. Juland, Mindoro, Wis. 9 13

FOR RENT—Desirable duplex, newly remodeled, 215 North Eighth. Inquire T. H. Brindley, with W. A. Roosevelt Co. 9 2 14

FOR RENT—Store, either for grocery or handy store, 1219 West avenue south. Inquire 803 South Eleventh. 9 6 18

SUITE of nicely furnished rooms, lower floor, strictly modern, steam heat. 214 South Seventh. Also garage in rear. 9 15 21

FOR RENT—Four large rooms. Middle aged or young couple preferred. Inquire 1423 South Fourth. 9 15 21

STORE—Modern front, new building, with large basement. Good location. City heat. 425 Jay street. 9 16 22

FOR RENT—Eight room house, 528 North Eighth. Inquire 1107 La Crosse or telephone 934-A. 9 18 30

FOR RENT—One office room, 2nd floor over Bartl Dry Goods Store, 100-102 South Front street. 9 9 14

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished room with private family. 717 So. Fifth or new phone 740-M. 9 15 14

FOR RENT—Modern furnished rooms, city heat. 510 King. New Phone 1052-Red. 9 16 19

FOR RENT—Three large modern furnished rooms on car line. 705 South Twelfth. 9 16 19

FOR RENT—Pleasant modern room, gentleman with references. 132 South Seventh. 9 8 14

TWO modern furnished rooms with bath. 304 North Eleventh. New phone 952-C. 9 18 20

MODERN furnished rooms. \$2 per week. In private home. 310 So. 9th St. 9 14 20

FOR RENT—Eight room house. Inquire 703 King, from 11 a. m. to 6 p. m. 9 18 30

FURNISHED ROOMS with or without light housekeeping. 627 Vine. 9 14 20

TWO modern furnished rooms, 120 North Tenth, upper flat. 898-Black. 9 16 29

PLEASANT ROOMS for ladies and gentlemen. 103 South Eleventh. 9 14 18

MODERN FURNISHED ROOMS—Large and pleasant. 717 Vine. 9 13 18

FOR RENT—Flat suitable for rooming house. Inquire 115 Pearl. 9 15 21

FOR RENT—Pianos, \$3 to \$4 per month. Carl B. Noelke. 9 11 10 10

FOR RENT—Two office rooms, 20x 25 feet. Inquire 115 Pearl. 9 15 21

FOR RENT—Strictly modern house, 608 West avenue south. 9 14 20

NEWLY FURNISHED modern rooms. 912 Vine. 9 14 20

MODERN FURNISHED ROOMS, 134 South Tenth. 9 9 15

FOR RENT—Garage, 127 So. 7th. 8 28 14

SEVEN ROOMS, modern. 1021 Jackson. 9 9 14

MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED—Paid shows for Caledonia, Minn. fair, this week Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, percentage basis. Telephone B. Zayno, Caledonia, Minn., for terms. 9 18 19

WANTED TO BUY Three or four chair barber shop doing good business in live town. Give particulars in first letter. Wm. L. Schwanbeck, 403 South Eighth. 9 18 19

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N. A. MAGNUSSEN, 711 Market St., Cement work of all kinds. Reasonable prices. New phone 1056-A. 9 12 10 11

WANTED—A chance to demonstrate our expertise in moving furniture with care. Phone 1681-C. 9 1 30

IF YOUR WATCH isn't running right go to Drummond, 533 Main. Fine watch repairing a specialty. 9 12 10 31

WANTED—Furnaces, used must be O. K. Box No. 684 as to size, price, etc. 9 11 23

PRACTICAL nursing, one year hospital training. Telephone 644-M. 8 28 14

WANTED—Boarders and roomers, home cooking. 424 South Fourth. 9 14 27

DRESSMAKING. 611 Main. 9 13 19

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STUDEBAKER, five passenger, 30 horsepower, electric lights and starter, \$475; five passenger Studebaker touring car, \$175. Elsen & Phillips, 110 South Second street. New phone 61; Old phone 5613. 9 18 21

THE ALLEN MOTOR CO. handles one of the easiest riding cars going. Price only \$795. Also do all kinds of repairing and we guarantee the work. Have all kinds of oils and one of the best polishes for cars and furniture use. Also take parties for country trips at reasonable prices. If you would like a demonstration of the Allen car, phone 282-C. Bring in your car and try us. Smith & Frey, Managers, 321 Jay street. 9 13 26

NEW 1917 FORD PRICES
Ford touring car -----\$360
Ford runabout -----\$345
F. O. B. Detroit.

H. Dahl, Ford Garage, Front & Main 9 8 10 7

FOR SALE—Several second hand cars in good running condition; also one large motorboat. Holway Garage, 429 State. 9 16 22

FOR SALE—Two real bargains; one light five passenger car, \$150; one 2 1/2 h. p. gasoline engine, \$20. Call 1870-M. 9 6 19

FOR SALE—Two used cars. Any reasonable offer takes them. 419 State St. 8 29 14

FOR SALE—Overland roadster. Buy at own price. F. Miller, 105 S. 6th St. 9 16 18

FOR SALE—Buick automobile. 326 North Seventh. 9 15 21

WANTED TO RENT

WANTED TO RENT—Small house with gas and water. Address W. H. Tribune. 9 18 20

RESTAURANT

BEST OF EVERYTHING TO EAT. Short orders all hours, night and day. Chicken dinner Sundays. 228 Pearl street. Fred W. Harris. 8 23 9 22

EAT AT QUINN'S. Regular dinners 25c. Short orders all day. Frank Quinn, Prop., 122 North Third street. 9 16 10 15

FINANCIAL

FOURTH BUILDING ASSOCIATION lends money on real estate. Study its monthly payment plan. 5 4 14

STOVES AND FURNITURE
SECOND-HAND furniture and stoves. Bell Furniture Co., 216 So. Third. 8 17 14

LOST

LOST—Piece of crocheting Saturday evening about 9:30, between 13th and La Crosse and 12th and Badger. Finder please return to 503 No. 12th for reward. 9 18 20

LOST—Crank for Oakland 812 auto. Finder please return to 1550 Prospect street. 9 14 20

CUT RATE SHIPPING

CUT RATES on household goods to Pacific coast and other points, superior service at reduced rates. The Lloyd Transfer Co., Minneapolis, Minn. 9 15 18

SITUATIONS WANTED
COMPETENT STENOGRAPHER desires office work; also has had bookkeeping experience. Can furnish references. Will leave city. Address A. C. care of Tribune. 9 15 18

WANTED—Position by competent stenographer. Can furnish good references. Address M. J., care Tribune. 9 18 20

WANTED—Work by day or hour. Phone 1294-R. 9 18 20

Umbrella Repairing

UMBRELLAS repaired and recovered. Mrs. C. A. Cordell, 1530 Mississippi St. New Phone 1728-M. 8 31 9 30

PRINTING

500 business cards, envelopes, statements, noteheads, \$1.15; 1,000 \$1.90. Lain, Printer, 208 N. 2nd. 9 7 10 6

Chicago Produce
CHICAGO, Sept. 18.—Butter—Creamery extras, 32c; extra firsts, 31 1/4c; firsts, 30 3/4c; seconds, 27 1/4 to 28 1/4c.
Eggs—Ordinaries, 28 1/2 to 29c; firsts, 29 1/2 to 30c.
Cheese—Twins, 18 1/4 to 18 3/4c; young Americas, 18 1/2 to 19c.

U. S. STEEL AGAIN IS DAY'S LEADER

New York Stocks

NEW YORK, Sept. 18.—United States Steel common started the week with a new record price, selling at 108 1/4 at the opening of the Stock exchange Monday. The opening was made with sales of 4,000 shares at 108 1/4 and 3/4.

Public participation in the present "campaign market" again was evident Monday. The opening gong brought a flood of accumulated wire orders for buying on the floor of the exchange and prices generally moved slowly upward. Continental Can made a high for the year at 106 1/4; railway issues generally were strong and rails continued their upward movement started last week. Gains of 3/4 to 1/2 were general in the railroad list, New York Central being an exception, with a loss of 3/4.

Texas company sold to 210, up six from opening and Wiggins-Overland advanced to 47 1/2c. The close was irregular.

The Closing

American Locomotive	78 3/4
American Smelting	108 3/4
American Sugar	93 3/4
Anaconda	90 3/4
Atchafalpa, T. and S. F.	106 3/4
B. and O.	89 3/4
Canadian Pacific	179 3/4
C. M. and St. P.	96 3/4
Goodrich	72 1/2
Great Northern	120 3/4
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New York Central	108 3/4
N. Y., N. H. and H.	61 1/2
Northern Pacific	112 1/2
Penn. Ry.	57 1/2
Southern Pacific	101 1/2
Studebaker	130 3/4
Union Pacific	146 3/4
United States Steel	107 1/2
Utah Copper	85 3/4

Chicago Livestock

UNION STOCK YARDS, Ill., Sept. 18.—Hogs—Receipts, 29,000; market steady, 5c higher; mixed and butchers, \$10.10 to \$10.55; good heavy, \$10.50 to \$11.40; rough heavy, \$10.05 to \$10.25; light, \$10.30 to \$11.55; pigs, \$7.00 to \$10.10.

Cattle—Receipts, 24,000; market strong to shade lower; heaves, \$6.60 to \$11.30; cows and heifers, \$4.65 to \$7.25; Texans, \$7.25 to \$8.30; calves, \$8.50 to \$13.00.

Sheep—Receipts, 24,000; market lower; native \$6.75 to \$7.90; western, \$7.15 to \$8.30



Never before in our history have we been able to show you such a variety in up-to-date Quality Furniture as we are displaying for your inspection at this time. When you consider the immense floor space contained within our large building with every available foot in use; add to this Our Buying Power, buying in large quantities at the lowest market prices, coupled with our Years of Experience in catering to your wants, you will come to realize what a selection we are able to offer you at the Very Lowest Prices consistent with Good Quality. You may furnish your home complete to suit your individual tastes and our Advice and Experience are always at your Service.

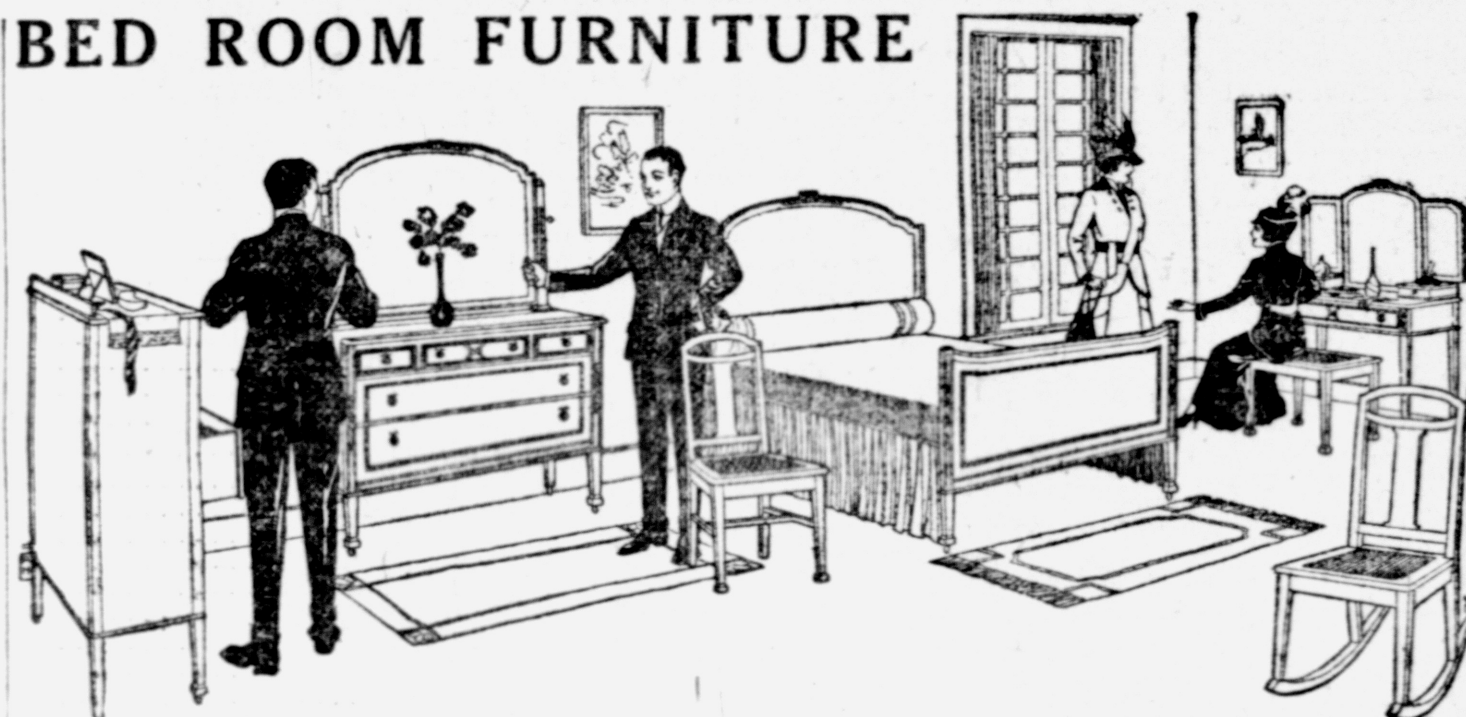
DAVENPORTS

Add another room to your home without the expense of building an addition.



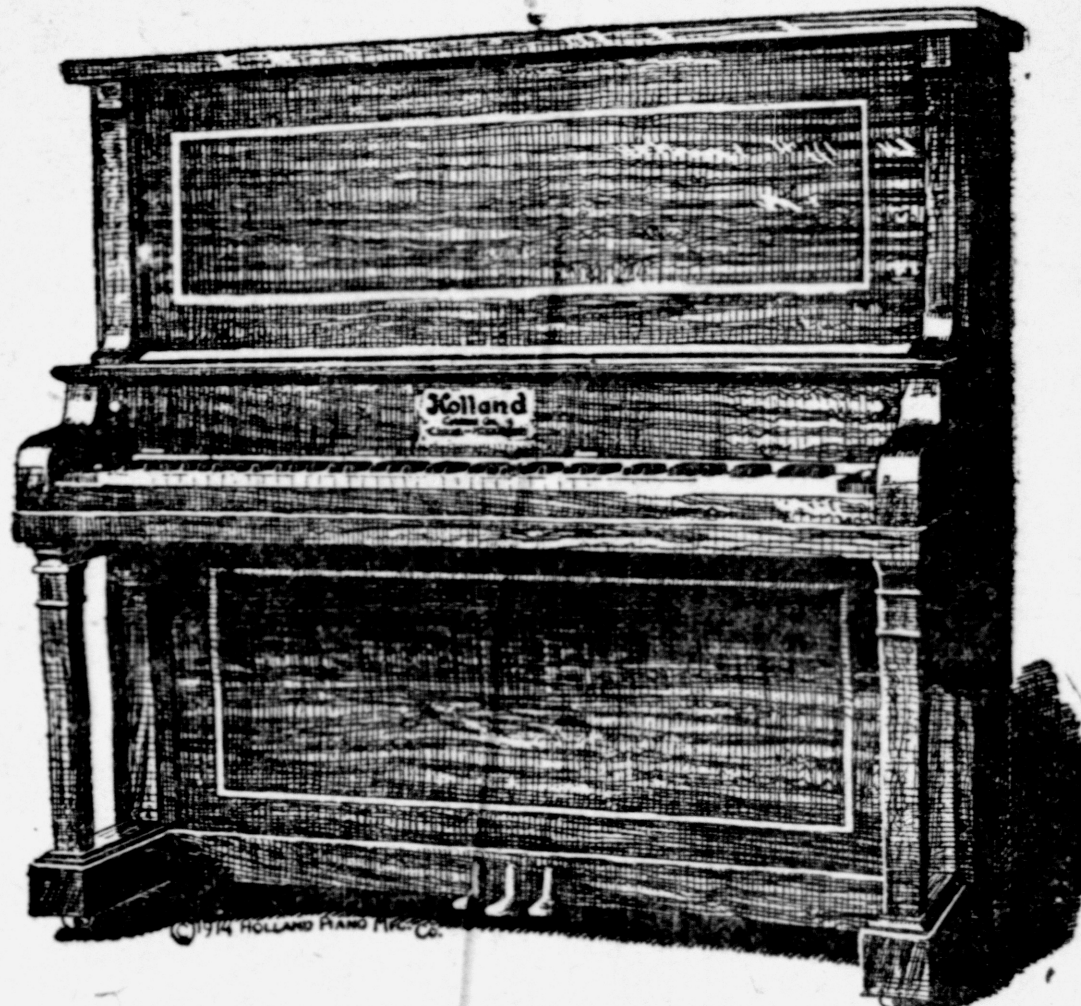
A Davenport or Duofold makes a perfect lounging place in your parlor or library during the day, and then when night comes by simply pressing a spring and a few simple motions it is transformed into a perfect bed. The mattress and bedding may be kept in the Davenport during the day time. The springs are made of tempered steel with helicon springs at the ends. They are made with heavy oak frames, in plain or quartered oak, in golden or fumed finishes or they may be had in Mahogany. The upholstery is shown in Tapestry, Genuine or Imitation leather. They are priced from \$32.50 upwards complete with mattress.

BED ROOM FURNITURE



It will be indeed a pleasure to inspect our showing of Bed Room Furniture at this time. Mahogany, walnut, birdseye maple, quarter sawed oak, as well as the enameled finishes in old ivory, all contribute to make these suits tasty and beautiful. The display includes such designs as the Colonial, Queen Ann and Louis XVI period goods. The Annex on our second floor has been fitted up with suits and there they can be seen almost as they would look in your own home.

PIANOS



We have recently added a line of high grade Pianos to our Music Department. A piano is usually purchased for a lifetime of service, and the perfection of the pianos we offer you has been the life work of some of the leading builders of this country.

The Holland and the Geo. B. Norris Pianos and Piano Players are made by the Holland Piano Mfg. Co. They are made in different grades and styles, the Geo. B. Norris bearing the name of the president of the company.

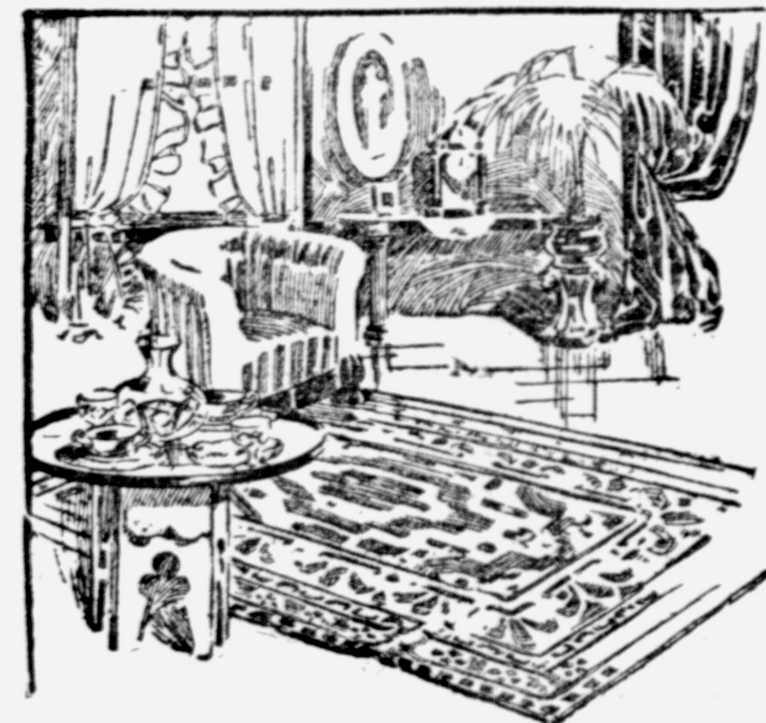
The Hallet & Davis Pianos have received 139 medals and awards over competitors since their manufacture was begun in 1839. The world's greatest singers, such as Mary Garden, Constantino, Johann Straus, Rubinstein, Liszt and a host of others have sounded the praises of this piano to the world.

No matter what style of piano or player piano you may desire, if you wish the best in voice tone and perfect workmanship, you will find it in the pianos we are showing.

Our pianos are built of the finest materials by skilled and experienced workmen, and every piano is minutely inspected before leaving the factory. All purely mechanical operations in the manufacture of these instruments are done by machinery. At the more delicate finishing touches are done by the hands of only the most skilled workmen. A perfect piano is thus obtained at a great saving in cost of manufacture. This saving enables us to sell pianos of this high grade at a price considerably below that which the average dealer must ask for similar instruments of such perfect design.

They may be had in quartered oak, walnut and mahogany. Let us demonstrate one of these pianos to you at our store or better yet, in your own home.

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IN OUR STOVE DEPT.



We are prepared to fill your every need in the Stove, Range or Heater Line. A Combination coal and gas range is the ideal cooking range during these days of alternate warm and cool weather. They may be had with three or four gas burners and four large holes. The oven is equipped so it can be used for either coal or gas and do perfect baking. A large warming closet completes the convenience and usefulness of these ranges. Priced from \$42.00 to \$70. We are showing a complete line of Base Burners, Round Oak Hot Blast Heaters and Laundry Stoves, as well as gas and coal ranges. A Florence Oil Heater will make your rooms much more comfortable these chilly mornings and they are also economical to operate.

The Pathephone

Brings expression of delight and appreciation from every lover of good music. It reproduces the human voice with wonderful accuracy and the largest orchestras and bands with a perfection only equalled by the organization itself.

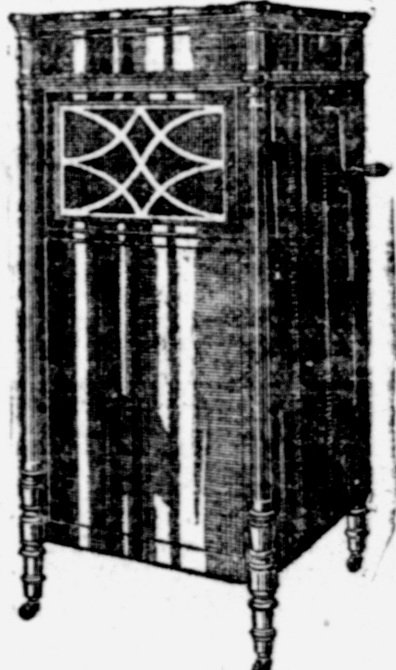
There is no harshness or mechanical grating to spoil the tone, as the records are played with a Round Sapphire Point. The sound is transmitted through a wood sound chamber, giving it a full mellow tone.

The records are indestructible and are made in 10 inch, 12 inch, and 14 inch sizes, all two faced.

The Pathephone may be had for \$15.00, \$25.00, \$50.00, \$100.00 and \$200.00. Oak cabinet in Fumed or Jacobean and Mahogany.

Records are priced 65c, 75c, 85c, \$1.00, \$1.25 up to \$2.50

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QUICKLY COOLED MILK IS CLEANER SAY FARM EXPERTS

MADISON, Wis., Sept. 18. — The Wisconsin agricultural experiment association has issued a poster bulletin to be displayed in all of the postoffices and in conspicuous places in the state telling how to keep milk and cream clean. The circular is illustrated by six pictures showing the "poor ways" and the "better ways" to care for milk. Following is some of the advice from the circular: "Cool milk quickly. The sooner milk is cooled after it is drawn the better. The longer it is left in the stable the more odors it absorbs. Bacteria or germs grow rapidly in warm milk. "Have a milk room. A well planned milk room lessens labor and helps greatly to improve the quality of the milk and cream produced. If

a gasoline engine is used to furnish the power it should be kept where the odor will not taint the milk or cream. "Dirt breeds germs. Germs thrive in dirty and moist places. A damp and greasy separator bowl makes one of the best breeding places for bacteria. Improve quality of product by keeping separator clean and dry."

PRIZE CATTLE OF THE MIDDLE WEST ARE ON DISPLAY

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Sept. 18. — With all the champion Holstein and Jersey cattle in the middle west and some from the east on exhibition, the annual Southwest Dairy show opened at Convention hall Monday. More than 500 of the best milk producing cows in the country are housed in the hall. During the show various appliances will be demonstrated. Government experts also will explain the latest dairy experiment results. Some men are born poets, but most editors have poetry thrust upon them.

MADISON IS TOO POOR TO PROFIT BY INHERITANCE

MADISON, Wis., Sept. 18. — On account of the expense the city of Madison will have to bear, it is probable that the bequests of the late W. W. Warner, amounting to about \$100,000, for city improvements, cannot be accepted. The will leaves \$75,000 for a city park on a site where ice houses are now located, provided the city contributes \$25,000. To obtain the property, the city will have to pay \$250,000, the price asked. The law provides that the city may condemn land, for a park, if a jury ascertains that the park is a public necessity. Madison has more park acreage than any other city or its population in the country, and it is probable that a jury would decide that the park is a public necessity. Warner also left \$25,000 for the construction of a sea wall on Lake

Monona. It has been estimated that this wall would cost close to \$100,000, the city having to make up the balance. According to the provisions of the will, the city must accept the will within one year after it was probated. The time will expire on May 2, 1917.

SOUSE PARTIES BARED FROM GETTYSBURG FIELD

GETTYSBURG, Sept. 18. — This is not a dry town, but sightseeing parties on the battlefield must be reasonably sober. The licensed guides have been instructed by the Battlefield Commission to prevent booze parties carousing on the field. This is the result of several parties of the sort. A shrewd politician is one who knows just how much the dear people will stand for.

EPISCOPAL CHURCH REVISES DECALOGUE

Commission Would Cut Out Time-honored Reasons for Observing Commandments The forthcoming general convention of the Protestant Episcopal church will have before it a proposal emanating from a commission of bishops, clergy and laymen to alter the form of the Ten Commandments as they are now printed in the Catechism and the Communion Office. The commission reports in favor of shortening the Commandments by the omission of the time honored reasons for their observance. The proposed change will affect the first five Commandments so that they will read as follows: 1—Thou shalt have none other Gods but Me. 2—Thou shalt not make to thyself any graven image, nor the like-

ness of anything that is in heaven above, or in the earth beneath, or in the water under the earth; thou shalt not bow down to them, nor worship them. 3—Thou shalt not take the name of the Lord thy God in vain. 4—Remember that thou keep holy the Sabbath Day. 5—Honor thy father and thy mother. The commission has recommended these changes for the reason that these divine laws are not parts of the Commandments themselves; they were peculiar to the national life of the Israelites, and changed conditions have robbed the arguments of much of their weight. The proposal is not radical as it appears on the surface. The Ten Commandments were printed in this shortened form in the first Prayer Book of 1549, and also in the Prayer Book used in the Episcopal church of Scotland today. When a man says he "does as he likes" he usually means he does as others don't like. Tag makes waist.

FUEL PROBLEMS ARE INVESTIGATED IN THE "U" LAB.

MADISON, Wis., Sept. 18. — Fuel problem of the housewife will be the subject of special duty in a course of home economics to be given this year at the university of Wisconsin. In a laboratory equipped with stoves and every make and design, various fuels will be tested by students. Elaborate tables of results will be kept. Other subjects to be covered in the course include buying, canning and conservation of food. SWEETEST STORY EVER TOLD GREENVILLE, Pa., Sept. 18. — Seven tons of honey were shipped from here by Edgar Williams, who received a check for \$2,800 from the Newcastle, Pa., buyers of the sweetness.